

WMAKERS TO ROWD WORK IN COMING 10 DAYS

get, Prohibition and Re-ortmentment Await Action Before Adjournment.

SACRAMENTO, April 11.—Each of the legislature having working days in which to con-act on its own bills, leaders of the lawmakers plan to press a final vote this week the im- pending measures, particularly those designed to take care of the expenses of the state gov-ernment.

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Ex-Kaiserin Dies AUGUSTA VICTORIA, wife of former ruler of Germany, who succumbed at her refuge in Doorn, Holland.



FORMER KAISERIN OF GERMANY DIES AT DOORN REFUGE

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appeared to become hourly more difficult. As the day broke breathing be-came still more difficult for the fail-ing patient and her pulse grew weaker.

It then was evident to the physi-cians that the end was near and Dr. Haas, who had been attending the em-peror, was called in to see her. The em-peror became unconscious and her breathing became fainter and fainter until at 8 o'clock she left her frail body.

The ex-emperor stood at the bed-side with bowed head as death came to his consort and she remained in the room for some time afterward.

DOORN, April 11 (By United Press).—Born in exile, Princess Vic-toria of Schleswig-Holstein died an ex-patriot at the age of 63.

She was born October 22, 1858, before the German empire had be-come a reality, and while her coun-try was still at war. Its union with the German empire became complete when on February 27, 1881, she married Wilhelm the crown prince.

Wilhelm II succeeded to the throne March 9, 1888.

During the time the emperor was building up the empire, preparing for the great campaign to extend his territories, the Kaiserin devoted her-self to the home. Her chief claim to fame was her ability as a haus-frau.

She never aspired to shine in court festivities. Her husband calmly said of her, "the poor dear is such a frump."

She delighted in supervising the household affairs of the Kaiser's magnificent establishments. Another delight was her seven children. These were the Crown Prince Fried-erich Wilhelm, Elitel Friedrich, Adelbert, August, Wilhelm, Oscar, Joachim and Victoria Louise.

The constant warfare between the crown prince and the emperor caused her most worry and she spent much time in attempting to reconcile their many differences.

During the war she was thrown into the background by her re-splendent husband. She was said to grieve genuinely over the war and suffering caused by the war and did a great deal to comfort those who lost relatives. She contributed much to the German Red Cross and did come hospital work.

Even in the latter service her per-sonality was against her and her well-intended visits to the hospital wards were not a great success.

When the final disaster came she immediately followed the Kaiser into exile, continuing her role as the faithful hausfrau. Their troubles had wrecked her health, however, and shortly after the flight to Amer-ica she was seized with the first attack of heart trouble which threat-ened her life.

WOMAN SEEKS TO BUY HUSBAND FROM HIS WIFE

His Love Declared Necessary to Her Happiness, Rich Divorcee Writes.

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what's more, realize that you are entitled to him in the eyes of man-made laws, and will face the old world again and try and forget.

"The outcome is more than I can determine at present. All I can say in time it would kill me. But then, that is no fault of yours, and while you are making your decision, just forget me and de-cide. But you will have to admit I was square and up above board with you, which is a credit to me. Phil has changed, and for the bet-ter, and if my coming into your lives has brought about an awakening between you, I can face my maker and happily end my life, knowing that I have done some good in this old cruel world.

"In all sincerity,"

"H. DUFFY.

"P. S.—If you care to answer this, I would be greatly appre-ciated and address Miss F. Duffy, Columbian Optical Com-pany, Fourth avenue, Seattle, Washington, care of Mr. L. F. Tay-lor, manager.

"Miss Isabel, three days later, re-ceived a letter from Miss Duffy reading:

"Enclosed you will find a check for Jane, holding good to my promise that I would see you and Jane well taken care of. I sin-cerely hope it will meet with your approval. Phil will do all he can for you and it is my wish that he always shall.

"Respectfully,"

"H. DUFFY.

"P. S.—Enclosed amount is for the month of July, 1919."

LOVESOME LITTLE GIRL

LETTER IS READ

On January 27, 1919, Isabel re-ceived a letter from Pansy, whose last name was not identified by his wife. It reads:

"My dearest Phil: Why, dear, what is the matter? I haven't heard from you since January 14. The letter says you were coming West. I can't imagine what is the matter. If you are sick or tired of me, why, for pity's sake, in either case let me know, and at once. Sometimes I feel, dearest, you have grown tired of this little lonesome girl, and yet, after all these letters you have writ-ten me, it can't seem possible. Oh, I would think, if I knew how, I have given me up. I sometimes feel maybe you are coming in on me as a surprise. Oh, would it come true in the next 48 hours."

Before the conclusion of her letter, Pansy evidently heard from Phil, for she continued:

"Oh, dearest boy, you don't know what a relief it was when I received your card and letter. I had almost begun to think you had entirely for-gotten me. Say, boy, I simply screamed with delight when I read it and found you still loved me and how I wish I was with you on that trip. Say, boy, but wouldn't we have some time? Well, I'll say so. Wouldn't it be delightful to sit out on deck at night and spoon and watch the man in the moon look down on us and smile and say, 'Oh, you happy beings, will it always be that way?' and we could answer him back, 'Oh, yes indeed,' because we are, aren't we, dearest, always going to be lovers."

"Well, my dearest, I must close and go to bed as I am very tired and sleepy. Lots of kisses and all my love. I am, your

PANSY."

SINN FEIN BOMBS HOTEL IN DUBLIN, OFFICERS SLAIN

Irishmen Hurl Explosives At Dublin Headquarters of Black and Tans.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. LEAST WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

CORK, April 11.—Two constables were shot at Dublin yesterday morning while walking along a street in the village of Kildorrey, near here. Both of them died later in the day.

LONDON, April 11.—A daring at-tempt was made by Sinn Fein this morning to blow up the Holyhead hotel on the quayside in Dublin, head-quarters of the black and tan. A force of Sinn Fein surrounded the hotel and sent a hail of bombs through the windows. A deafening roar of successive explosions fol-lowed, and the black and tan were aroused from their sleep. The whole front wall of the hotel was blown away. Sixty black and tans made their home at the place. The attack was made by a force of Sinn Fein. The black and tan were aroused from their sleep. The whole front wall of the hotel was blown away. Sixty black and tans made their home at the place. The attack was made by a force of Sinn Fein.

Love For Dog Almost Costs Boy His Life

CHICAGO, April 11.—(United Press).—Love for his dog nearly cost the life of Harold O'Grady to-day.

Harold and his brother, Ray, 6, live next door to the Livingston warehouse, which was burned at a loss of \$100,000.

The father of the boys rushed into his home and rescued them. Harold remembered his dog and rushed back in the house after it. As walls were caving in, firemen rescued him. He had the dog.

OBREGON FACES NEW REVOLT OF FORMER ALLIES

Villa, Gonzales and Murguia Reported Involved in a Widespread Plot.

By HARRY L. ROGERS International News Service Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—A seri-ous attempt to overthrow Alvaro Obregon, president of Mexico, is planned for May 7, according to in-formation to the state department today from George T. Summerlin, charge d'affaires of the American embassy in Mexico City. Summerlin stated he was unable to obtain de-tails of the alleged revolutionary plot, but reports of its strength and scope were of such a nature as to make it worthy of serious consideration.

The name of the leader in the new movement has not been ascertained with certainty, but a number of Mexican generals are mentioned. Among these are Murguia, now said to be in the state of Coahuila, with a considerable number of followers; Francisco Villa and Pablo Gonzales, who was a candidate for the presi-dency both before and after the fall of Carranza.

Though at one time a favorite of Carranza and urged by the "first chief" as his successor to the presi-dency, Gonzales joined the Obregon revolution and led the rebel forces when they entered Mexico City. He withdrew from the presidential campaign in the interest of peace and tranquility.

Gonzales is now quoted as de-nouncing the Obregon government and hinting that he would accept leadership of the new revolt.

Reports of President Obregon's

change in policy with regard to rebel leaders are causing considerable favor-able comment among officials here and have lessened the effect of rumors of the impending revolution. It is believed that a stern attitude will do much to check disorder and may nip in the bud the contemplated revolt.

The general opinion is that the ex-ecution of half a dozen rebel leaders in various parts of Mexico within the past two weeks has done much to strengthen Obregon's position, both at home and abroad.

U. S. JUDGE DIES ASHEVILLE, N. C., April 11.—Peter C. Fritchard, 64, judge of the United States Circuit court since 1912, and from 1894 to 1903 a Sena-tor from North Carolina, is dead here after an illness of several months.

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M.C.A. War Service Folk Meet Tonight

The regular monthly meeting of Red Triangle League, an organ-ization of men and women who were in service for the M. C. A., will be held tonight at the Oakland M. C. A. building at 6:30 o'clock. Active co-operation with ex-serv-ice men will be considered at the meeting.

The principal speakers will be Geo. Apple, president of the Associated General Students of Oakland, and Daniel Matheson, who has interest-ing himself in work for ex-serv-ice men. Miss M. Munro, who was an actress, will give a play, "The Planets." Bruce Wright, president of the league, will preside.

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Freezing Weather in Nevada Is Forecast

Warnings that freezing cold weather and killing frosts may be expected tomorrow were sent today by the U. S. Weather Bureau to stockmen and farmers throughout the plateau region east of the Sierra Nevada mountains. The thermometer is falling sharply in eastern Washington and Oregon and throughout Idaho and Nevada, the bureau said.

The shepherds of the plateau regions are in the midst of the seasonal shear-ing and it is necessary to protect sheep and lambs from the cold.

Budding crops also are endan-gered.

NEW YORK, April 11.—New York's "fire escape farmers" who planted tomato "sets" and other am-bitious crops yesterday, under a heavy sun, awoke today to find their gardens covered with very cold snow. Furs and mufflers came into sight with alacrity this morning. The tem-perature fell to 27 degrees above zero. It was 55 yesterday. Baseball fans, in anticipation of Wednesday's scheduled opening, asked for quo-tations on ear muffs.

This city took on the aspect of a midwinter blizzard before noon.

Mrs. Stokes Will Testify This Week

BY UNITED PRESS. LEAST WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

NEW YORK, April 11.—The di-verse trial of W. E. D. Stokes, multi-millionaire hotel owner, was to be resumed at noon today, with every prospect that Mrs. Stokes would tes-tify in her own behalf before the end of the week.

Before Mrs. Stokes takes the stand, it is believed that all of the great number of witnesses introduced by her most of them former servants will be cross-examined in an effort to tear down the "backstairs" testi-mony connecting the defendant's name with several men. It was in-dicated, however, by Martin W. Lit-ton, counsel for Mrs. Stokes, that comparatively little time will be de-voted to each witness.

The defense has given the impres-sion that its efforts to show an al-tered "gigantic conspiracy" of the Stokes' part, would be made largely through his own witnesses.

Police Arrest Two Men Wanted in L. A.

Police Inspectors Lou Agnew and William Smith arrested A. R. Waller, alias Robert Whitestone, and P. J. Hertz yesterday on warrants from Los Angeles charging embezzlement. The men, it is said, are being held in connection with an automobile deal in which they secured a car without payment, drove to Oakland and sold the car here. A third man is being held in the Los Angeles jail. They will be held pending the arrival of Los Angeles author-ities.

San Joaquin Flood Assessment Is Upheld

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The Supreme Court affirmed today de-cisions of California courts upholding assessments made by the San Joaquin Reclamation Board to pay for con-struction of control river floods.

Property owners appealed on the ground that the board was without legal authority to make such an as-sessment, and that even if the as-sessment was legal, it levy on an acreage basis, regardless of benefits to be derived, was illegal.

The case involved the right of the State Reclamation Board to levy as-sessments on lands within the Sac-ramento-San Joaquin drainage dis-trict. The Miller and Lux interests owned land within the district, in Merced, Fresno and Madera coun-ties, and denied the right of the board both to include their property within the Sacramento-San Joaquin district and levy assessments for re-claiming.

Elwell "Slayer" to Be Free; Confession Fake

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE. LEAST WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 11.—Roy Harris, who has been held in jail here since his "confession" to the murder in New York city of Joseph E. Elwell, turfman and bridge whist expert, probably will be released to-day, according to District Attorney Moore. Charles S. Whitman, special assistant district attorney of New York, declared today he believed Harris' second statement that his "confession" was a fabrication, to be the truth. Whitman said it was un-likely that Harris would be taken to New York.

Harris, in his second statement, declared he had confessed to the murder of Elwell in the hope that he would be sent to the electric chair, thus relieving his wife and relieving of the disgrace his conduct had brought upon them.

Anti-Alien Fishing Bill Passes Senate

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. LEAST WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

SACRAMENTO, April 11.—Senat-ory Inman's amended bill to pro-hibit aliens ineligible to citizenship from fishing in the ocean waters of California, passed the Senate, 22 to 13 today, and was sent to the As-sembly. The bill was originally passed 30 to 4, this vote, subse-quently being reconsidered and the bill changed so it would become ef-fective January 1, 1923.

Reapportionment Is Set for Wednesday

SACRAMENTO, April 11.—The initial hearing of the legislative session on reapportionment of as-sembly and senatorial districts will be held Wednesday. Senator Ingram, chairman of the senate reapportion-ment committee, announced today. The San Francisco delegation has promised to have its amendments to Senator Borg's reapportionment bill ready on Wednesday, according to Ingram, who said today action must be taken in the matter this week if the bill is to have a chance of pas-sage in this session.

U. S. TRADERS RETURN NEW ORLEANS, April 11.—Twenty-five United States sailors and men have returned after spending twenty-seven days on a trade ex-tension tour through Mexico.

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BRITISH ASK U. S. TO HOLD PARLEY ON OIL DISPUTE

Adjustment of Differences Due
to San Remo Agreement Is
Aimed At.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Adjustment of the dispute between the United States and Great Britain growing out of San Remo oil agreements concerning Mesopotamia has been suggested informally to the United States, it was learned today officially.

The plan proposed was in a memorandum reaching the State Department, but not made in such manner as to place the necessity for decision upon this government until more definite representations are received.

It was proposed that the United States appoint a commissioner to confer with the British petroleum commission in the belief that such direct negotiations would lead to a more speedy adjustment than might be expected through usual diplomatic agents.

San Francisco News

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Charles G. Johnson, superintendent of the State Department of Weights and Measures is here today to carry on his fight against the appointment of Thomas Flaherty as sealer of weights and measures at San Francisco. Johnson maintains that in Flaherty's case politics was given precedence over civil service qualifications. He will appear before the Board of Supervisors with his protest tonight.

Mrs. Ena Snowden Pistolesi will commence her fifth suit for divorce from Joseph Francis Pistolesi before Superior Judge John J. Van Ness today. Mrs. Pistolesi is a member of a prominent San Francisco family. As in the other four suits, Mrs. Pistolesi charged cruelty. She asks a suitable alimony, \$500 attorney's fees and custody of her child. Their first marriage, contracted when Mrs. Pistolesi was 18, was annulled and they eloped and were married later.

Secret service men are investigating the operations of the prohibition authorities on the Pacific Coast, it was learned yesterday. The disclosure came when agents working under W. A. Kelly admitted that they had been questioned by special agents from Washington. The questioning of

FRANCE STUDIES NEW PLANS TO FORCE GERMANY

Tax on Coal Production in the
Ruhr Valley Is Being
Advocated.

PARIS, April 11.—Minister of Finance Doumer met President Dubois of the interallied reparations commission today and announced that France will ask new economic sanctions in addition to military measures after May 1, if Germany refuses to fulfill the allied terms by that date. Minister Doumer urged that the commission immediately begin to study measures to be applied to force Germany to meet the allied demands. It is understood that one of these will be a tax on the coal production in the Ruhr valley.

PARIS, April 11.—Despatches from the allied commission in Upper Silesia, which supervised the recent plebiscite there, declare a complete German military force, numbering twenty battalions, with a full complement of machine guns and other arms and munitions, is ready for action in case the German claims of Upper Silesia are rejected by Allied Supreme Council.

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Stamped Guest Towels

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Beautiful towels of good quality huck; a variety of stamped patterns. Our regular 35c value at, each 10c

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Children's Knit Waists

"Pyramid" brand; sizes 2 to 12 years. Our price usually 50c. Special, Tuesday

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\$1.25

(Second Floor)

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36-inch. Excellent for sport skirts; black and white, or blue and white shepherd checks. Heavy grade of silk; stylish and durable. Yard \$2.25

Velour Plaids

54-inch. In new color mixtures for Spring. Yard \$2.45

Sport Satin

40-inch. Heavy grade, with high lustre; white, silver, castor, old rose, pink or navy blue. yard

\$2.75

(Main Floor)

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MUSLIN

36-in.; bleached; Lonsdale brand. Yard 20c

TENNIS FLANNEL: 27-inch; white only; a good value at, yard 20c

SPRING VOILES

40-inch. Ask to see our line. Very complete line, yard 79c

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(Downstairs)

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No. 1, each \$1.15
No. 2, each \$1.25 (Downstairs)

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"Lenox" Soap, bar 3 1/2c
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WHITE NAVY SOAP BAR 4 1/2c

"BIG OX" SOAP
"CASENE" SOAP
"WHITE BEAR" SOAP
"STRYKER'S" HAND SOAP
CASTLE WHITE SOAP BAR 4c

Wool or "Sunlight" Soap, Bar, 7 1/2c
"LAVA" HAND SOAP: Bar 8c
"SKAT" HAND SOAP: Tin 10c (Downstairs)

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Benefit Party At Theater Tonight
Pedagogues of the city and their ends will invade the McArthur theater tonight at a benefit party which has been arranged for the purpose of raising funds to send a delegation from the Oakland School of Music to Des Moines in July.

The local Education Association will be that city this summer. The local organization is ambitious to be represented by eight members. Mrs. T. McCall is president.

A dried residue of syrup, which was a rare sugar known hitherto in Asia, exudes from certain fir trees in parts of Canada.

Wireless 'Phone Is Wonder to Africans
LONDON, April 9.—Natives of the Swazi tribe who inhabit the mountainous wilds of Africa were dumbfounded recently at wireless telephone experiments, according to a Marconi official.

The natives refused to believe it was possible to communicate vocally over long distances, and were given an opportunity to listen in on wireless conversations.

On hearing the voices, the tribesmen, among whom were a number of petty chiefs, hurried away and held an "indaba." Presently a deputation returned and asked if there was to be a white man's war. "If there is," said, "we want to be on the white man's side."

THEATER

FULTON
Turning from the quaint picture-sequences of "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," which graced the boards at the Fulton last week, the versatile players are romping with much glee through the funny situations, and the new lines of a New York comedy, "Puzzled Wives," which had its first showing in Oakland at the Fulton theater yesterday.

If it is true that "a merry laugh doeth good like a medicine," as the scriptures aver, then "Puzzled Wives" is equal to an entire apothecary shop, for the chuckles and the roars, and the giggles and the snickers, and the merry laughs provoked by "Puzzled Wives" are in evidence from curtain to curtain, while the play is on. Probably nothing sharper or snarlier or funnier has been staged at the Fulton.

The man who tries to describe all the tricks and turns and the flashes that make up a successful comedy has his hands full. It really can't be done.

ORPHEUM
There is an unusually large supply of comedy in the new bill at the Oakland Orpheum this week, with five acts. Three headline features are included in an excellent bill. Harriet Rempel, one of vaudeville's most charming stars, is back again, this time with a playlet, "The Story of a Picture." Her newest offering, a romantic fantasy presented in a charming setting, is a fit successor to "Tarrytown," her last presentation, and one that was marked by delightful distinction.

Herbert Williams and Hilda Work present a comedy melange, "Soup to Nuts."

Moss and Frye in Pure Nonsense are a pair of comedians. Harry Holmes and Thelma La Vere in a skit, "Elizabeth Otto and Elton Sheridan, Everette's Novelty Circus of Simians, Marguerite and Alvarez in aerial feats, and Monte Bank, a comedian. The latest topics of the day furnish the film offerings for the week.

SUSPECT DENIES THAT HE IS S. F. SLAYER WANTED

Man in Colusa Jail Asserts His Innocence of Murder of Alice Byxbee.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Emphatically denying that he is connected in any way with the death of Miss Alice Byxbee, 19-year-old girl who was shot and killed near Buena Vista Park here on the night of April 1, Joseph Baca, suspected by police of murdering the young woman, is being held in the Colusa county jail today under close surveillance.

Baca was removed from the county hospital where he was taken Saturday after he had cut his throat after an unsuccessful attempt to escape from City Marshal Edward M. Martineau of Maxwell to the jail yesterday. San Francisco police today were inclined to abandon the theory that the maniac was responsible for the girl's death. According to detectives, the description of the slayer given out by C. D. Stanton, sheriff of Colusa county, does not tally accurately with the man in custody.

"I am a lovable man, but I never killed that girl," Baca repeated over and over in his cell yesterday.

The maniac who killed Miss Byxbee approached her and Miss Thompson as they were on their way to a party, and said:

"Girls, I need your help. I'm a lovable man," and when they started to flee, he shot Miss Byxbee and beat Miss Thompson with his pistol.

Baca said he had not been in San Francisco, but refused to trace his movements on the days close to the crime. He told a weird story about being known as the "Mexican Miracle Man." There is an old tradition, he says, that to the man who gives succor to a wounded bird shall be given miraculous powers.

Sheriff Stanton yesterday commu-

Girl Breaks Parole and Goes to Jail

Arrested at a dance hall in this city, Miss Ethel Willis, 235 Thirteenth street, Richmond, was taken back to the California School for Girls at Ventura on Saturday for violation of parole. She had been granted parole on March 1.

The young woman was arrested by Mrs. F. W. Moore, state probation officer, who said that, at the time of her arrest, Miss Willis was about to get married. The girl sometimes went by the name of Ethel Foe.

SUFFRAGE IN GREECE

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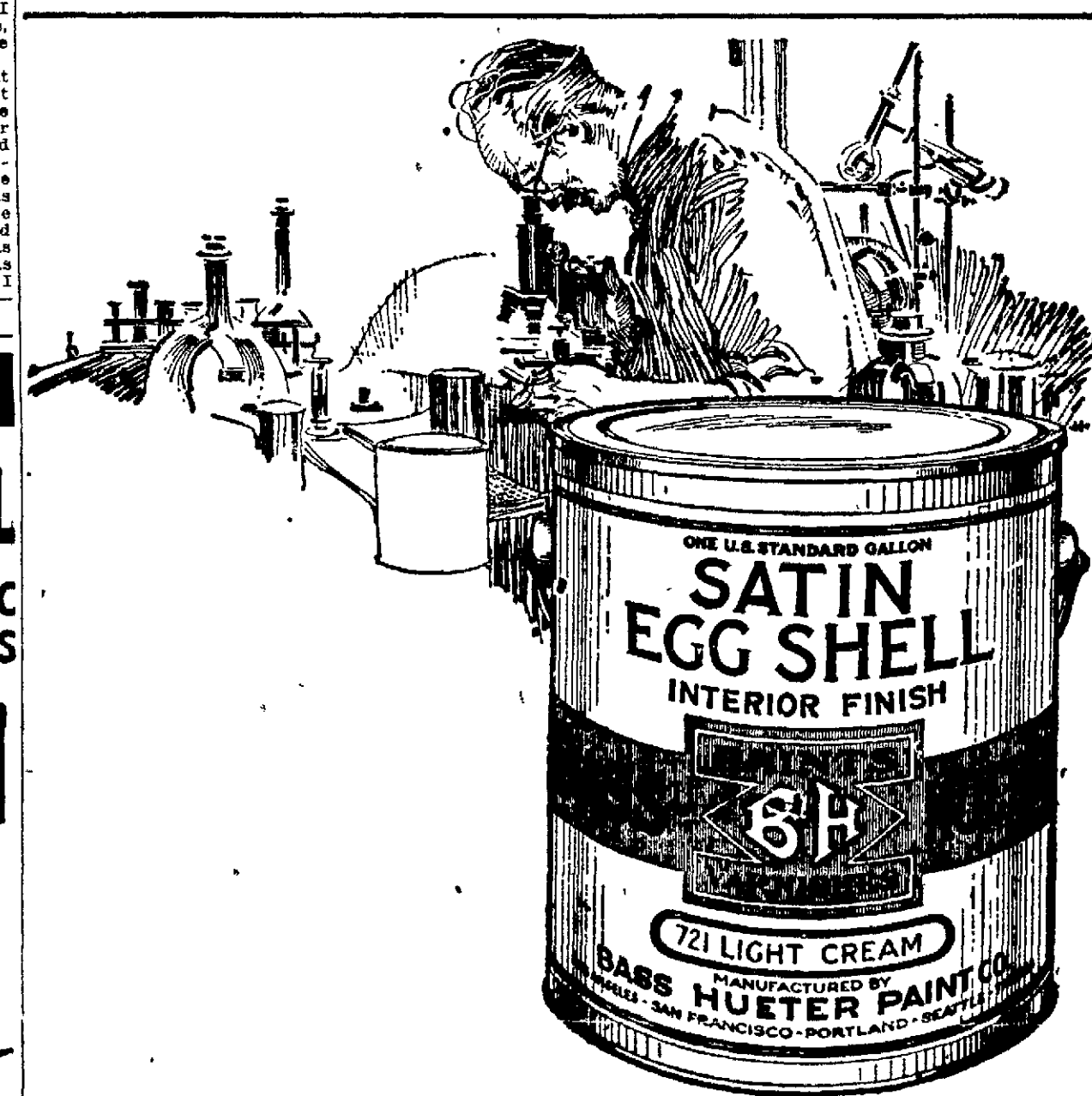
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"Just Out of College," a sprightly farce, is the second feature of the double program. In it are seen Molly Malone, Irene Rich and Jack Pickford.

John Wharry Lewis and his orchestra and Edgar Bayless and Clement Barker at the organ, furnish the music.

KINEMA
A gambler who could not lose and who became the proprietor of one of New York's biggest "big game" gambling dens, is the central figure of the screen version of Augustus, the celebrated play, "The Witching Hour," which heads the Kinema theater's program for the week ending Friday night. Elliott Dexter plays the part of the gambler with the uncanny "seventh sense" which enables him always to win, without knowing why.

Besides Dexter the cast includes Edward Sutherland, a nephew of Thomas Meighan, Mary Alden, one of Griffith's discoveries, and Winter Hall and Ruth Renick. The program includes a Mack Sennett comedy, Burton Holmes and news flashes.

PANTAGES
The new bill at Pantages is full of pep, personality and pithy humor. Silas Love and Jeanette Wilbur, who open the bill, are acrobats with a difference.

Miss Jessie Muller plays the piano and the concert.

The little comedy, sumptuously staged, of "The Woman of a Thousand Secrets" is a clever take-off on the fortune telling game.

"Doin' Nuttin'," by Miss Marva Rein, is a young lady who is gifted with double vision, a sense of fun and a loud voice.

Paul Quinn and Frank Caverly have an act with a humorous back drop.

"September Moon" is equipped with pretty chorus girls.

CHIMES
Commencing at the Chimes theater today, Lionel Barrymore in his latest picture, "The Devil's Garden," will be shown. Barrymore has the role of a strong man struggling against stronger forces. His wife is his guardian angel, until his faith in her is shattered, and he faces the big fight against the temptation of that same sin by which she fell.

"The Devil's Garden" is an unforgettable picture, and is the most striking screen achievement of the creator of a hundred dramatic triumphs. Doris Rankin, H. Cooper Cliffe and Mae McAvoy are included in a strong supporting cast.

IDORA
There will be many novel attractions at Idora Park during the coming week for persons who enjoy outdoor amusement.

Dodgins, the new thriller, was crowded during the entire day, yesterday. The Race Through the Clouds Over Top, and many others, were equally well liked.

One of the special plans made for the entertainment of Idora in the evening is the opening of the dance hall to all comers. The dancing is free every evening of the week except Saturday and Sunday. During the dancing intermissions are allowed for the dancers to visit the other concessions.

Bull Fight Comedy Is Amusing Mexico

MEXICO CITY, April 11.—A question seriously entertained here is whether bull fights are to be laughed out of Mexico through the introduction of the "toros bufos" (comical bull fights).

Serious chroniclers of the Mexican amusement are concerned by the fact that a company of Spanish buffoons have just finished a series of comic fights here with recent attendance and attracting almost as much interest as the serious conflicts in which the best matadors in the game have appeared.

They were further agitated when six girls announced themselves as "toreros," and, on a Sunday afternoon, succeeded in dispatching six bulls while their clown companions amused the crowd with antics burlesquing every bullfighter known to the game.

"What is to become of the noble sport of bullfighting," inquired one writer. "If, first of all, clowns are allowed to make it appear ridiculous and then senoritas are permitted to enter the arena and attempt a show of skill?"

American visitors to Mexico generally find more enjoyment in the comical fights than in the regular games. In the former no horses are used although the bull is eventually killed. The fighters, who display much skill and athletic ability, perform all sorts of grotesque antics with the animal before he is despatched.

Rancher Finds Wife Dead; Says Suicide

ASTORIA, Ore., April 11.—Mrs. Matilda Svensson, 64 wife of a rancher living near Deep River, Wash., was found dead in her home last night with a bullet hole in her head and a rifle beside the body. Her husband told the officers who investigated that he had gone out late to milk the cows and had found his wife dead when he returned. The coroner said the case was apparently one of suicide.

LINER HAITED: STRIKE
LONDON, April 11.—The Cunard line has been compelled to cancel the sailing of the liner Berengaria from Southampton on April 11. The stoppage of the coal supply is assigned as the reason.

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"Tanlac has given me complete relief from sufferings of twelve years' standing and has built me up fifteen pounds in weight," said Mrs. O. K. Berg, 113 26th St., Oakland.

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"My liver was all out of order and I had splitting headaches. My back hurt so I couldn't stoop over. On top of all this I contracted rheumatism and it seemed like my whole body was a bundle of aches and pains. Finally I got so weak I had to spend half my days in bed. I didn't have any color in my face, and was so miserable I felt that life was hardly worth living.

"Well, I got Tanlac, thinking it might give me an appetite and get me to feeling better, but it did me a great deal more than that, for it relieved me of all my aches and pains and restored my health completely. Now, whenever I feel the least bit run-down or out of sorts I get Tanlac, and it soon has me all right again. I have persuaded my son to take Tanlac, as he was in a run-down condition, and it has done him a world of good, too. I think Tanlac is just wonderful."

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Brain workers go through the same thing except that they are more likely to suffer from impoverished blood because they usually work in stuffy offices.

So when you get run down from overwork and strain, get a good thing to know about that wonderful tonic, Pepto-Mangan. Begin taking it as soon as you feel the least bit run down. It will supply your blood with the food it needs. You will get back into your stride and pick up again. You will go through your working days feeling fit and able to get things done to achieve and get ahead. Thousands are doing it every day.

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ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN

Mrs. Henshaw To Come North This Month

The latter part of the month—the 29th, to be exact—Mrs. Patricia O'Connor Henshaw, fiancée of Carlo Morbio of San Francisco, will arrive from the southland to be the honor guest at a large affair. Mrs. Pio Morbio will entertain with a large tea for her two future daughters-in-law, Mrs. Henshaw and Mrs. Lucille Schell, betrothed of Adolph Morbio. The wedding of Miss Schell and Morbio will be in May and that of Carlo Morbio and Mrs. Henshaw in the month of roses.

Mrs. Charles O'Connor will entertain April 20 for Mrs. Schell.

Mrs. Arthur Kinney was hostess Saturday afternoon at a luncheon at her home in honor of Miss Vera Harford, fiancée of Clarence Gillespie of Galveston, Texas. Mrs. Kinney presided at her home in Brookdale avenue, this city.

Miss Harford is the daughter of Mrs. Jewel Harford, and was graduated from the San Jose Normal, after which she attended Columbia University in New York, where she met her fiancée.

Gillespie is a graduate of Cornell, in the East, and a Phi Gamma Delta fraternity man. He was a member of the Cornell Glee Club and formerly an instructor in electrical engineering at college.

The wedding will take place in the Fall.

The Sigma Pi fraternity of the University of California held its formal at the Fairmont hotel in Rain-bow Lane Saturday evening. Sixty guests attended the dinner before the

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dance, one of the elaborate parties given at the close of the semester.

Mrs. Wallace E. Scott of Berkeley was hostess Saturday afternoon at her home for a bride-elect, Miss Florence Zander, an Alpha Xi Delta, whose betrothal to John Dunbar was announced a short time ago. Dunbar is a University of California man. Twenty-five girls were present, surprising the bride-elect with a miscellaneous shower. June is the month chosen for the Zander-Dunbar nuptials.

MISS COEDS OUT FOR TEA

Friday afternoon, April 15, Mrs. Frank Hunt Froster will be hostess at her home in Crocker Highlands at tea. Several scores will be guests and intimate friends are to assist in receiving that day.

Another bridge tea for which cards have been received is that at which Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas will be hostess April 22 at her home in Summit avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Simpson gave a dancing party for seventy-five of their friends Saturday evening at their home in Claremont, a number of dinner parties preceding the affair. Judge and Mrs. Harry Manville Wright entertained a number of their friends before the dance.

MISS MILLER TO BE HONORED

Thursday afternoon Miss Alice Requa will entertain a number of friends at luncheon at "Greystone." The guest of honor will be Miss Laura Lindsay Miller.

Miss Helen Lee of Palo Alto will entertain for Miss Miller next Saturday at luncheon, a number of the debutante set to motor south.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lettie Oliver entertained for one hundred of the younger set for Miss Miller at a dance at their home.

April 30 half a hundred women will be guests of Mrs. William Thornton White at luncheon at the Claremont Country club, when plans for Pencil Day in June will be completed.

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State English Tutors Hold Meet Saturday

California Association of Teachers of English will meet in annual conference Saturday at the State Normal School in San Francisco. The program will be given over to a report of the committee on handbook in composition by Miss Emma J. Brock, supervisor of English, University of California, and a discussion of a course in biography, led by Miss Irene Beatty, University High School, and the election of officers. Luncheon will be served in the State Normal cafeteria.

"Our Upstart Speech" will be the theme for the address of Professor R. P. Utter, University of California, at the opening of the afternoon program.

"Mary's Garden" is the children's play which will conclude the conference.

Native Daughters to Give Benefit Party

Alhambra Parlor, No. 108, Native Daughters of the Golden West, will give a benefit whist party tomorrow evening in Wigwam hall, Pacific building. Mrs. Alice Riecke is chairman of the committee which has the affair in charge. She is assisted by Mrs. Alice Powers and Mrs. Alta Cunningham. The public is invited to attend the affair, which begins at 8:30 o'clock.

Singer and Pianist Will Give Recital

An evening of dramatic triologies and song interpretations will be presented in the ballroom of the Claremont hotel tomorrow night by Miss Ruette Lynch Dunning and Miss Irene Rutherford at 8:15 o'clock. Miss Dunning is a dramatic soprano and Miss Rutherford a pianist.

Club Section Will Discuss World Figures

"Men in the Eyes of the World" will be given the attention of the Current Events section of the Rockridge Woman's Club tomorrow afternoon. Those who are particularly interested in the figures which loom big in France—Clemenceau, Miller, and Briand, Mrs. Harriet Wilson will lead the discussion. The events of the week in Europe will be reviewed by Mrs. George Kleeberger. "What are the Movies Making of Our Children" will be answered by Mrs. William Brown. An all-day sewing party is announced at the residence of Mrs. Mary Gilbert, curator of the social service sewing section on Thursday. The next morning the parliamentary law section will meet on Tuesday under the leadership of Mrs. L. G. Leonard.

Miss Alice Barrett Greenwood will continue her current events lectures before the Twentieth Century Club tomorrow under the patronage of the Current Events section of which Mrs. J. S. MacArthur is chairman. The annual spring luncheon is scheduled for Tuesday, April 19.

The visit of General J. M. T. Finney, former director of surgical work in France under the American Medical Service and now clinical professor of surgery in Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, is being hailed as one of the notable events of the week. General Finney comes to the coast as a speaker before the California Academy of Medicine in San Francisco. He will spare a day or two to visit in the last day of his tour in the Alameda County Public Health center as developed at Thirty-first and Grove streets.

The Alameda County Medical Association is making general plans for an honor social at luncheon tomorrow at Hotel Oakland.

Chief Thompson Gets Threatening Letter

Chief of Police Fenton Thompson announced today that he received a letter yesterday afternoon threatening his life unless he discontinued his fight to rid Oakland of bootleggers.

The letter is in a woman's handwriting and unsigned. It reads: "You are going to be killed unless you relax your diligence in running down bootleggers and manufacturers of alcoholic beverages. This is final."

The letter was postmarked Oakland. Chief Thompson expressed the belief that it was the work of a crank.

Tommy Simpson's 23 Silk Shirts Stolen

Tommy Simpson, prize fight promoter, is reported to have lost yesterday morning his home at 579 Cleveland avenue was entered by burglars, who stole his wardrobe, valued at several hundred dollars. The lot, which included jewelry and his wife's wearing apparel, is valued at \$1500.

Among some of the articles stolen are twenty-three silk shirts, fifty pairs of men's socks, thirty silk and knitted scarfs, three dozen green and pink handkerchiefs, four hats, two dress suits.

Ad. Club to Produce Comedy at Luncheon

At tomorrow's luncheon of the Oakland Advertising Club at the Hotel Oakland, Professor B. J. Crocker, director of agricultural extension of the University of California, will speak on the subject: "Agricultural Extension Work and the Farm Bureau Movement in California."

A special feature will be offered in "Pied Statistica," a show billed as a merry melange of misinformation, produced by the entire Advertising Club; every man a chorus lady.

Electric Development League Has Luncheon

The Eastbay Electric Development League gave a luncheon at the Arcadia, today. Fourteen and Franklin, today. The speaker was Arthur H. Halloran, manager of the Journal of Electricity. Motion pictures of the Caribou project of the Great Western Power Company were shown. The chairman was F. H. Woodward.

U. S. CHINA RELIEF

NEW YORK, April 11.—Relief funds totaling \$2,937,010 have been sent to China by the American committee for the China famine fund announced tonight.

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SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—This will be the center of interest for music lovers throughout the state for the next two weeks following the arrival of the Chicago Grand Opera company with its cast of stars and a special train carrying scenery, electrical equipment and properties valued at approximately \$700,000.

The company is headed by Mary Garden, director-general of the organization, and includes such notables as Charles Marshall, the American tenor, Cyrena Van Gordon, Georgia Polacco, Giacomo Rimini, Fieda Toppel, Rosa Raisa, Alessandro Ronci, Edward Johnson, Jose Mojica and Lucien Muratore. The cast also numbers a chorus of 75 and a picturesque corps de ballet.

The venture, which is acclaimed as the most significant musical event in the history of this city, has been made possible by citizens who have guaranteed the company against financial loss.

Several of the singers have been here before, for many it is their first glimpse of California. But all agree today in extolling their expressions of pleasure and wonderment.

The season is to begin tonight at the Exposition auditorium which has been prepared for the different productions at an expense of more than \$100,000, especially in the construction of the largest stage in the world and the elimination of sound diverting and muffling faults in construction.

Tonight's offering will be Verdi's "Otello" with Marshall in the title role.

The complete program for the season follows:

FIRST WEEK

Tonight, April 11, Otello; Tuesday, April 12, Carmen; Wednesday, April 13, Traviata; Thursday, April 14, Amore del Tru Re; Friday, April 15, Trovatore; Saturday matinee, April 16, Martha; Saturday night, April 16, Faust.

SECOND WEEK

Monday, April 18, Rigoletto; Tuesday, April 19, Cavalleria and Pagliacci; Wednesday, April 20, Thaïs; Thursday, April 21, Lohengrin (in English); Friday, April 22, Elsie D'Amore; Saturday matinee, April 23, Mamma Vanna; Saturday night, April 23, Tosca.

NEW DEMOCRATIC WHIP

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Representative Oldfield of Arkansas has been appointed whip and Representative Box of Texas assistant for the House Democratic organization.

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NEW YORK, April 11.—Relief funds totaling \$2,937,010 have been sent to China by the American committee for the China famine fund announced tonight.

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Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes—Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter from the system. If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results. The waste matter from the system is taken Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep them fit. 15c and 30c.—Advertisement.

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They do for the upper part of the figure what the corset does below. They equalize the bust and shoulder flesh and make the body above the waist-line harmonize with the rest of the figure.

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Months from now you'll pat yourself on the back and say, "Well, there certainly is some kick and pep in these double grip Paris. Can't seem to tire 'em down or wear 'em out."

You can make a safe bet that you can't beat them for active service and complete comfort. They're there!

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ROUGH DRAFT OF COUNTY AD DRIVE IS BEING MADE

Executive Committee to Meet Wednesday to Plan Program.

Notices for a meeting of the executive committee of the Alameda County Advertising Committee will be submitted to the executive committee Wednesday afternoon when out of the office of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce.

At this meeting a concrete program is expected to be adopted and the active work of gathering the first \$50,000 of the \$150,000 three-year fund will begin immediately.

Eugene Bowles, secretary of the committee, is preparing the rough draft of an advertising campaign to be submitted to the executive committee for consideration. This will cover all mediums such as magazine and technical publication advertising, motion picture publicity, booklets, billboards and other stunts.

MAKING A STUDY
The committee is now making a study of campaign conducted by other cities, paying particular attention to those of the Pacific coast communities and the results they have attained.

With the announcement of the formation of the advertising committee and the plans for a flood of applications for endorsement of various publicity projects has been received by Secretary Bowles. The committee already has laid down the informal rule that no solicitation of funds will be encouraged by outside organizations, and in this connection Chairman J. C. Downey made the following announcement:

TO SPREAD FAME
The Alameda County Advertising Committee has as its purpose the spreading of the fame of the county and its many attractions and opportunities without regard to any particular section or in the interests of any special organization. This is a movement of the whole people for the benefit of the whole people. Our success will come from united support of all sections, all classes and all organizations.

"For that reason, as chairman of the executive committee, I desire to request the public to refrain from soliciting or encouraging solicitation of funds for other advertising projects until the plans of our committee are complete and have been made public."

Reports coming to the Chamber of Commerce from different parts of the county indicate that the interest in the advertising campaign is increasing daily and that all sections are preparing to join enthusiastically in the \$150,000 project.

DOWN ON THE FARM

No. 1 of Country Life Cartoons by Eva Steele Rogers of Walnut Creek



Ygnacio Farmer, in Oakland—"I'm going to quit calling mother and the girls immodest on account of the trousers they're wearing back there on the farm."

Mail Thefts Put to Low Pay, Hours

By ROBERT S. THORNBURG
United Press Staff Correspondent.
CHICAGO, April 11.—Low pay and poor working conditions of postal clerks have cost the government \$7,000,000 in mail robberies in less than a year.

This was the opinion of many postal officials in Chicago, obtained by the United Press. The Chicago Postal Clerks' Union, charged the holdup epidemic to the temporary clerk system which, he said, was the result of night work and poor pay.

The condition is the logical result of labor conditions during and after the war," George declared. "Low wages and unfavorable working conditions made it impossible for the government to attract good men in the service."

The "unfavorable working conditions" referred to by George were explained as "too much night work." He declared that night work is unnecessary and could be eliminated to a great extent if Postmaster General Hays' "early mailing campaign" succeeded.

Assistant Postmaster John T. McGraw said that the conditions have made practically impossible the retention of civil service clerks.

Hink Must Run Again for School Director

BERKELEY, April 11.—Lester W. Hink, incumbent short term school director, must run for office the second time on Saturday, April 23, despite the fact that he received a larger vote than his opponent, Frank D. Merrill, on April 3, according to the decision rendered this morning in the appellate court in San Francisco. The decision comes as a result of an appeal by Attorney Daniel Rygel who petitioned the court to declare Hink elected at the primary on April 3.

Rygel claimed that the charter justified that with only two persons running for office, the one receiving the highest number of votes was elected. City Attorney Frank Cornish contested the claim, declaring that the city charter specifically stated that to be elected at a primary election any candidate must receive ten percent of the total votes cast. Although Hink received more than 2000 votes Cornish stated that Hink did not receive the required 50 per cent.

SOFT DRINKS, U. C. CONFAB SUBJECT

BERKELEY, April 11.—Soft drinks, necessitated by the eighteenth amendment, and their values and harmful qualities will be discussed at a conference called by the college of agriculture at the University of California with manufacturers and dealers of the beverages. All dealers in soft drinks have been invited to attend the lectures, which will be held in rooms 703-4 Pheasant building, San Francisco, on the following dates:

April 14—Professor M. E. Jaffa, "Food Value of Soft Drinks"; P. P. Nichols, "Bacteriology and Sanitation in Relation to Soft Drinks"; April 21—C. H. McCharles, pure food and drug laboratory, "Flavors, Extracts and Coloring Matters in Soft Drinks"; A. W. Christie, fruits products laboratory, University of California, "The Composition and Properties of Sugars and Acids Used in Soft Drinks"; April 28—Professor W. V. Cruess, "The Use of Fruit Juices and Concentrates in Soft Drinks"; Professor E. J. Lee, director of State pure food and drug laboratory, "Soft Drinks and Pure Food and Drug Act."

Girls At Y. W. C. A. Given Fire Scare

Seventy girls, choristers at the Young Women's Christian Association coming home, 1944 Franklin street, had a real thrill yesterday when it was discovered the building was on fire. The fire was caused by a spark from the chimney, which set the roof on fire. Only a small section of the roof burned and the damage amounted to about \$40.

The girls were all seated at the tables having dinner when the blaze was discovered. Some of them wanted to move their belongings out into the street, but the matron convinced them that the fire would do no damage to their belongings.

Milk Dealers Hold Session With Women

A conference was held between representatives of the different housewives' leagues and milk distributors of the bay district in the milk distributors' offices in the Bannock building this afternoon. The meeting was called by W. H. Davidson, of the distributors' association. The women announced last week that unless the milk situation was adjusted they would declare a boycott on milk or cut down milk consumption to a minimum.

The women were represented at the meeting by Mrs. W. T. Cleveland, state president of the Housewives' league; Mrs. H. J. Platts of the Oakland Housewives' league; Mrs. Dorothy Green, of the Van Ness Housewives' league; Mrs. Harry Tenney, Mrs. Grace Hoffman and Mrs. Mary Stroup.

Fellowship to Hold Dance On April 22

The Young People's Fellowship will give an informal dance on Friday evening, April 22, in St. Paul's Parish House. Music will be furnished by the original University of California orchestra, including Hoch Station, Ed Greer and Subranti. The program committee includes: Miss Dorothy Green, Van Ness Church; Bessie Day, Genesee; Ellen and Mary Kerr and Harold Lang, Horace Horwath; Bruce Harrison and Middleton P. Stansbury Jr.

What's Happening in the Motor World

by Jim Houlihan

LOS ANGELES, April 11.—Setting a new world's record for 50 miles, Jimmy Murphy, in a Duesenberg Special, carried off the laurels at Sunday's speedway events by winning the final heat in a furious race. His time for the distance was 27 minutes, 37 and 4-10 seconds, an average speed of 109.3 miles an hour. The best previous average was 107.37 miles, made by Roscoe Sarles. Ralph de Palma took the first 25-mile heat in 14.5-19 at an average speed of 106.3 miles an hour. Eddie Pullen won the second 25-mile heat in 14.6, at an average speed of 107.3 miles an hour. Joe Thomas was first in the third heat of twenty-five miles in the time, 14:10.8, averaging 105.8 miles an hour. In the final and deciding heat Sarles, 37 second, Eddie Pullen third, Eddie Hoar fourth, Joe Thomas fifth and De Palma sixth. In the eleventh lap of this heat De Palma's engine caught fire and was out of the race for fifteen laps. After that he showed some bursts of speed which astonished the spectators, making one lap at 112 miles an hour.

ONLY EIGHT STARTERS.

There were only eight starters in the first heat, the ninth entrant, T.P.V.ail, reporting a new engine he had ordered for the race had not been completed. De Palma led all the way in this heat, repeatedly chalking-up would-be challengers. Sarles finished second, Thomas third, Milton fourth, Pullen fifth, Hearne sixth and Soules seventh. Murphy was forced out by engine trouble.

Division of prize money, according to unofficial computation, will be made as follows: Murphy, \$3750; Sarles \$3500; Pullen, \$2100; Hearne, \$1850; Thomas, \$1350; Milton, \$1150; De Palma, \$1000; Soules, \$850.

The officials would be made tomorrow, it was announced. Division of points for the race, counting in the 1921 champion competition, follow:

Murphy, 160; Sarles, 80; Pullen, 65; De Palma, 50; Thomas, 30; Hearne, 25. Totals for the season, of which this was the second race, are: De Palma, 230; Murphy, 155; Sarles, 155; Milton, 100; Pullen, 65; Thomas, 30; Hearne, 25.

The time made by Jimmy Murphy in the races is said to establish a new world's record for 50 miles on a board track, the average speed of 109.35 miles an hour superseding the 107.37 miles an hour record for that distance set by Roscoe Sarles here in February.

Merchants' Exchange Drive Is Big Success

Unusual success is being reported by the field teams canvassing the city in the interest of increasing the enrollment of the Merchants' Exchange, according to Lee Bertillon, chairman of the committee in charge of the drive for new members.

With tomorrow night set as the time for reporting the work of the teams, those in charge of the drive are putting every ounce of energy behind the campaign. Bertillon declared:

"Fifty teams are in the field and a thorough canvass of the city is being made. The advantages which can be derived from such an organization are being set forth by the workers. Captains of the various teams have reported that they are meeting with very few refusals."

Final reports will be made at the meeting of the exchange tomorrow night. Every active member urged to be present and hear the results of the drive.

Richmond Precacher Seeks Diplomatic Job

SACRAMENTO, April 11.—Rev. Paul Little, pastor of the Richmond Methodist church, is seeking appointment as United States minister to Constantinople. Senator Will H. Shaker, of Martinez, admitted today that he had been active in furthering Dr. Little's candidacy and that he had just received a letter from the President's secretary advising him that every consideration would be shown the California man's claim.

Letters recommending Dr. Little for the place have also been addressed to President Harding by David Starr Jordan, chancellor of Leland Stanford University and Governor William D. Stephens.

Dr. Little was an overseas chaplain. He is commander of the American Legion post in Richmond.

2000 WOMEN IN NATIONAL VOTERS' LEAGUE MEETING

First Convention to Urge the Sheppard-Tower Bill Before Congress.

CLEVELAND, O., April 11.—Two thousand women from practically every State in the nation are here today for the opening of the second annual convention of the National League of Women Voters. This is the first convention to be held since women were enfranchised. The sessions, starting today with committee caucuses, will continue through Saturday.

Recommendations for Federal and State legislation which will be made by the standing committees to the convention will include:

Enactment of safeguards for the mothers and children of America by fixing Congress to pass the Sheppard-Tower bill for Federal aid for maternity and infant care.

To stop the profiteering now going on in the necessities of life, by establishing public markets, milk depots and other terminal facilities.

Making the oath of allegiance to the United States for every citizen, native and foreign born, a qualification for the vote.

These three recommendations will be written into proposed laws which the National League will submit to Congress and will State and local leagues will present to their legislatures.

Before the convention comes to a close, however, other recommendations will be made and acted upon.

The National League is composed of State leagues and has as associate members other national organizations working along similar lines.

The league has two purposes. To foster education in citizenship and to support improved legislation. It is not a woman's party or a separate party. It is non-partisan. Its slogan is, "Enroll in the political parties."

Mrs. Maud Wood Park of Washington is chairman of the National League. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt is honorary chairman.

CLOTHING FIRM BUYS BOWY. STORE

M. L. Camp, for the past three years manager for Roos Brothers, has joined hands with L. T. Hobson, Berkeley manager for Roos Brothers, it was announced today. The purchase of the lease, fixtures and entire stock of C. W. Heintz' men's clothing store, 1217 Broadway.

The firm has already been incorporated under the title of "Camp and Hobson." They will immediately dispose of the Heintz stock in a special sale. Afterward they will remodel the structure and establish what they predict will become one of Oakland's important clothing stores for men.

They have adopted the following slogan to express their business policy: "More Quality Clothes—Absolutely Nothing Else." It is to be entirely an Oakland institution, the two partners announce. Both men are members of the local club and other similar organizations.

Further details regarding the sale for the disposal of the old stock will be given out later. The plans of the managers, however, are making the business one that is typical of Oakland in every respect they declare.

Night Schools Add More Instructors

"The night schools in Oakland, which have been too big to be accommodated by the number of instructors, are now ready to proceed with a force of instructors sufficient to take care of several more classes."

Edward G. Gale, in charge of the night school at the Technical high school, and other night schools conducted under the supervision of the local school department, announced today that from his day class he had secured a sufficient number of volunteers who are capable of conducting the night classes. This addition to the class of instructors was approved by Fred M. Hunter, superintendent of schools.

Woman Apartment Burglar At Work

The woman apartment house burglar who has operated in this city several times during the past month was again at work yesterday afternoon. J. W. Graham, 2003 Caldwell Court apartments, reported to police yesterday morning that his apartment had been entered. A suitcase and two suits of clothes were taken. The manager of the apartment house told Police Inspectors George Burbank and George Holdman that she saw a woman leave Graham's apartment carrying a suitcase. The entrance was gained by a pass-key.

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COFFEE

THE SIGN OF THE COFFEE CLUB.

Look for it in store windows. The dealer who displays it can advise you in the right selection and making of Coffee—necessary to real Coffee satisfaction.

JOINT COFFEE TRADE PUBLICITY COMMITTEE
24 Wall Street New York

We Invite You to Open a Charge Account With the Hudson Bay Fur Co.

580 14th St., Oakland.

NEW FIGHT ON RAILROAD TAX PROBLEM SEEN

Senator Burnett Introduces a Bill to Amend Provisions of King Measure.

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
SACRAMENTO, April 11.—The possibility of the fight on the King corporation tax bill being reopened was presented to the legislature today when Senator Lester G. Burnett of San Francisco introduced a bill to reduce the tax rate on the gross earnings of "short line" steam railroads 5.75 per cent. Under the King bill the tax rate is fixed at 7 per cent, the same rate as that for the longer railroads.

Burnett's bill would include under the lower rate all lines of less than 250 miles in length.

The bill was introduced at the request of C. M. Oddie, representing the Short Line Railroad Association. Oddie was one of the "half-dollar lobby."

He has been in Sacramento for several days endeavoring to gain the consent of the governor's office for the exemption of short lines. It is understood that the bill has not yet been introduced in the senate.

At any point opposed by the King bill.

The eight-hour bill for electric railway employees which was voted down in the senate last week, is to be before the labor and capital committee of the assembly tomorrow night. West has put in a companion bill to the one which Harris introduced in the senate, and which invited a bitter attack from the electric railways of Southern California.

The bill is to be amended in the assembly as to grant the workers on the electric lines a nine-hour instead of an eight-hour day.

There is no legal limit on the length of the day for the electric railwaymen at present. They can be worked ten hours, eleven hours, or up to fourteen.

Forsberg Will Be Arraigned Tomorrow

Enil Forsberg, alias Farsleigh, who was brought back from Christiana, Norway, by Captain of Inspectors James T. Drev to face charges of embezzlement, will be arraigned tomorrow before Police Judge Edward J. Tyrrell. He was brought into court this morning but could not be arraigned because the judge did not have the warrants.

Forsberg is accused of obtaining nearly \$50,000 from the residents by a promotion scheme. While en route to Norway he was indicted by the Alameda County Grand Jury.

Police Feed, Hold Three-Day Fester

ALAMEDA, April 11.—Three days without eating made Nathan Linder happy to be taken in charge by the police last night. He was found asleep in the Farnside station. A charge of vagrancy was placed against him. He informed the police that it had been three days since he had eaten anything and that he wasn't feeling just right.

The man was given a big meal, to which he did not touch, and then locked up. Linder is a Swiss and states that he has only been in the United States a year and a half.

Ask Chief Thompson to N.Y. Meet; Can't Go

Chief of Police Fenton Thompson has been invited to attend the National Police Conference in New York in May, but will be unable to attend, owing to the illness of his mother.

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Introducing Our New Senators

FRANK BARTLETTE WILLIS (Republican)
Former Governor, New United States Senator From Ohio, Succeeding Mr. Harding
(By International News Service)
MR. READER—

Meet former Governor Frank Bartlette Willis of Ohio, who early last January succeeded Mr. Harding as United States Senator.

He is a big man with a booming voice which he is not afraid to use, square-jawed and big-fisted. His penetrating bass voice is already familiar to his colleagues.

Senator Willis was a member of the House from 1911 to 1915. He nominated Mr. Harding at the Chicago convention and his stentorian tones fired the convention chamber. His "boys and girls" speech on that occasion was characteristic of the man. No back seat for him.

DOLLAR DAY IS NEXT WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, April 13, is Oakland's sixth annual Dollar Day.

Merchants today are making final preparations for the contemplated rush. Windows display any number of articles that will be sold on Wednesday for \$1. Every house in the city is planning to offer bargains. Some concerns are specializing on one or two certain lines of goods, while others are preparing for a general sale.

The San Francisco—Sacramento railroad has announced that on Wednesday the residents of the towns between Sacramento and Oakland who wish to take advantage of the bargains to be offered in Oakland may travel to and from the bargain center at a fare and a third, round trip.

The reason for Dollar Day is not to unload an overstocked store and sell inferior goods. It is a long-established fact that a volume of business pays, even though the merchant makes but a quarter of a cent on each sale. On Dollar Day an article can be sold at a great reduction and still the merchant will realize a profit. Due to the great number of sales, thus the merchant realizes a profit and the buying public has a chance, by everyone buying at once, to also realize a saving.

In the final analysis the decision will be up to the city council, the findings of the city planning commission, which is also working on the problem being taken into consideration. The advisory ballot is expected to be a guide both to the city planning commission and to the city council.

FRAUD CHARGED IN CUBA ELECTION

NEW YORK, April 11.—Charges of fraud in the recent by-elections in Cuba have been presented to Secretary of State Hughes and the Liberty party is content to abide by the state department's decisions, even should they be adverse to their claims. Gen. Jose Gomez, defeated liberalist candidate for president said in a statement here today: General Gomez asserted that General Enriquer Guevara, U. S. A., insisted that the by-elections be held March 15 and gave no reason for this other than that if there was no election the Cuban congress could not assemble April 4.

"And now," General Gomez added, "we are confronted with the spectacle of that congress in session without a constitutional quorum."

Dry Sleuth Acquitted of Killing Charge

SPOKANE, Wash., April 11.—After deliberation of nearly twenty hours a jury in the United States District Court returned a verdict of acquittal in the case of James G. Montgomery, federal prohibition agent, charged with manslaughter, but disagreed six to six in the case of William C. Vest, a fellow officer. The manslaughter charge against the men grew out of the fatal shooting last May of Ernest Emley of Spokane at Keller, Wash.

Boy Drowned While He Awaits Baptism

ALBANY, Ore., April 11.—Fourteen-year-old Clarence Alexandria was drowned in the South Santiam river yesterday while waiting, with thirty others, to be baptized, according to news reaching here today.

The boy was a son of Samuel Alexandria, rancher, living eight miles east of here.

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WATCH FOR WEDNESDAY ADVERTS.

FESTAL WEEK OF MOOSE STARTS WITH BIG SHOW

Oakland Lodge Will Open Big Celebration Tonight; a Varied Program.

The first event in a week of festivities arranged in celebration of the opening of the clubrooms of Oakland Lodge No. 324, Loyal Order of Moose, will take place this evening at the Moose building, Eleventh and Clay streets. The affair is to be a vaudeville show and entertainment, and will be followed by a dancing party in the lodge rooms above the club rooms. Lee Bertillon is chairman of the committee in charge of the entertainment, and J. H. Spiro, past dictator of the lodge, is chairman for the evening.

On Wednesday evening a theater party for the 2500 members and friends of Oakland lodge has been arranged at the MacArthur theater, under the direction of W. E. Hamilton. Alice Gentile and her supporting company will appear in "Slippery McGee" on that evening. Pictures of Brosehart, the eastern school conducted by the organization, will be shown during the evening.

The week's festivities will culminate Friday evening with a boxing exhibition which will be held in the clubrooms for members only. Announcements from the University of California and St. Mary's College, and from the Olympic club and the American Legion in San Francisco will appear during the evening. Mel Moffitt is chairman of the committee in charge.

The entire week's program has been arranged to celebrate the opening of the clubrooms, which have been closed for the past three months for complete renovation. The rooms have been enlarged until they occupy a space 100 by 100 feet. The lodge rooms are 50 by 100 feet.

The clubrooms were first opened 10 years ago, one year after the founding of the lodge on October 27, 1910. There were 99 members at that time. According to figures compiled by W. J. Hamilton, the secretary of the organization, there are 2500 members of Oakland lodge now as the result of an extensive membership campaign which was recently carried on. The lodge recently purchased its present building, raising a fund of \$110,000 within 90 days. W. J. Hamilton directed the campaign.

The present officers include: President, L. Higgins; dictator, Clifford E. Woods; past dictator, W. E. Hamilton; secretary, W. J. Hamilton; treasurer, Daniel Reed; and W. J. Backus, W. J. McHugh, and John Mott, trustees. W. J. Hamilton, the secretary, has the distinction of being the ranking secretary in point of service, among the 1500 branches of the order in the United States. He has been secretary since the lodge was founded in 1910.

Soldiers Shot by Driver in Assault

DEL MONTE, April 11.—Two soldiers were shot when they attacked Lawrence Selaya, Monterey taxicab driver, late Saturday night.

According to Selaya, the soldiers, Edward J. Treese and Frank Cox, hired him to take them from Monterey to Salinas. While on the way the driver was struck on the head with a blackjack several times. He drew his revolver and turned on the soldiers, who fired at him, striking Treese in a vital spot and another lodging in the calf of Cox's leg.

Selaya claims there had been no quarrel during the trip and that the attack was made without any provocation or warning. The soldiers had nothing to say about the affair when the officers sought statements.

Two Autos Stolen by Busy Bandits

ALAMEDA, April 11.—Mrs. C. Lynette of 955 Ventura street, Berkeley, reported to the Alameda police last night that someone had stolen her automobile while it was standing at San Pablo avenue and Twenty-fifth street. She suspects that the machine may be brought into Alameda by the thieves.

The automobile of Robert Jaryia, a barber of 488 Twelfth street, Oakland, was found standing abandoned in front of the Webb-street firehouse yesterday afternoon by Captain Gus Wagner.

WILL IT COME TO THIS

By Donahey



JOHN, ON JOHN!
TH' BURGLAR'S HERE!
HE'S ONLY GOT HIS GRIP
WITH HIM THIS TIME.
ARE THERE ANY SMALL
THINGS STILL LEFT
AROUND TH' HOUSE?

Climate, Not Religion, Gage Seeks; Is Not Theosophist

LOS ANGELES, April 11.—That he is seeking a climate and not a religion is the statement made here in an interview by Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, former president of the First National Bank of Chicago, and president of the United States Trust Company, New York, for four years. He resigned from the trust company to retire.

He declared that he spent some time in selecting a favorable site as to climate and otherwise in which to spend his declining years in quiet and peace. He was seeking a climate and not a religion, he said. He felt he had found the haven of rest at the spot on Point Loma, where he purchased two and one-half acres overlooking the Pacific Ocean. Here are more than 100 other bungalows and houses where congenial and cultured neighbors live. A mile or two beyond Gage's residence there happens to be located the 500-acre estate of Mme. Katherine Tingley of Theosophical fame.

HOW IT HAPPENED
When asked how the story that he had become a theosophist and had joined Mme. Tingley's society became public, Gage replied:

"A young woman reporter, I understand, printed it and the press associations seem to have carried it to every newspaper in the land. I attended with some friends an entertainment given by Mme. Tingley's school one night, by invitation. Subscriptions were being taken for the benefit of poor children and I gave them \$25. The falsehood that I had become a Theosophist seemed to have been set afloat in some mysterious way from that. An eastern newspaper wired me for my verification or denial of the report. I telegraphed them 300 words at their request, making as strong a denial as I possibly could. They printed what I sent, but followed it up with an absurd story of the most sensational kind which nullified the statement I had sent."

"I then had my representatives get a written statement from Mme. Tingley and her society, denying that I had affiliated with her or her society in any way."

"Like every human, I have had sorrows in my life, but this rank falsehood and the wide and persistent publicity given it has given me more grief than any other episode I have had in my life. I have always had faith in the good that is in human nature, but at times I have despaired in trying to find the truth in the strange tales of the end in the end will endure."

"What is your religion, Mr. Gage?" he was asked.

"I am an old-fashioned Methodist. I was superintendent of the Sunday school of the First Methodist church at Evanston, and I am proud of it, and now look back to the delights of those days of my religion."

SAYS HE'S METHODIST
"I am a John Wesley Methodist—that is, I admire the simplicity of their kind of religion. And again I admire the simple direct religion of the Salvation Army."

Gage is now 55 years of age. For a man of his years he is well preserved both physically and mentally. He has entirely retired from business. He spends his time reading, studying and resting. He drives his own automobile and runs into San Diego every day to the Cuyamaca club, where he lunches, smokes a little cigar and communes with his congenial club members, with whom he is very popular.

After the tragic death of Gage's son, some years ago in Los Angeles, he purchased the widow a beautiful home in Los Angeles and made her two sons a present of it. Gage is very proud of his two grandsons. The one living in Los Angeles is prosperous and a great pal of his grandfather, whom he visits often. The other grandson is connected with the First National Bank, Chicago.

RECORDS BROKEN AT TRACK MEET

Frank John and Walter Davis of Durant school broke city records in the inter-school track meet Friday at Mosswood Playground, when Durant, Lakeview and Longfellow schools met in competition. John made his record in the 70-lb. standard broad jump, making 6 ft. 6 in. in the longest of three jumps. Davis broke the record for the unlimb standing broad jump by four inches, making 8 ft. 2 in. The schools made the following times: Lakeview, 1:42.3; Durant, 1:42.3; Longfellow, 50.

Boys of Frick, Elmhurst and Lockwood will meet on Thursday in an inter-school track meet at 1:30 p.m. which all weights from 60 pounds to unlimited will be represented in dashes, high jumps, broad jumps and relays. An inter-class track meet of the boys of the fifth to eighth grades will be held at Lincoln school on Wednesday. The competitions are held under the recreation department.

Endorsements to the proposed city charter amendment creating for the Oakland Recreation department broader scope continue to come in. Among the latest organizations to officially give approval are: Cleveland School Mothers' Club and Parent-Teacher Association; the Men's Club of Holy Innocents' Church; the Cuyamaca Club; the Woman's Club, Cherokee Council; No. 137, Degree of Pooheontas; Men's Organization of Trinity Parish; Emerson School Mothers' Club; Garfield Parent-Teachers' Association. This amendment will be voted on at the primary election, April 19, 1921. No tax or budget problem is involved.

DOG LEADS TWO POLICE TO HOME OF LOST CHILD

ALAMEDA, April 11.—Little "Billy" Becher, 3 years old, and his dog got lost most thoroughly yesterday afternoon. At least little Billy was lost, but not so the dog. He simply followed where little Billy led. The two were picked up by Police Officer William Price as they wandered along Park street. Price vainly attempted to find from little Billy where he lived. It was no use. He simply didn't know. The dog knew, but couldn't tell.

Then along came Policeman Louis Servente. Now he knows a lot about animals. "Suppose we give the dog a chance to solve this," he suggested. The dog was ordered to "get along home." He lost no time in striking out when ordered to do so by the policeman. In fact he went just as straight as he could. The police officer followed him until the dog turned into 2123 Clement avenue. And sure enough that was where little Billy lived. His father, A. Becher, had already applied to the police department for aid in searching for his son.

Santa Fe Arranges Wage Cut Meeting

TOPEKA, Kan., April 11.—A conference to discuss a proposed 20 per cent decrease in wages, affecting nearly all Santa Fe railroad employees, will be held here April 26 to May 7. It was announced today by General Manager F. C. Fox. Representatives of unskilled laborers, with whom a conference on a wage cut already has been held, are expected.

PROSECUTION IN SULLIVAN TRIAL ENDS ITS CASE

Accused Alvarado Bank Robber Begins Big Fight for Freedom.

District Attorney Ezra Decoto placed his last witness on the stand in the trial of J. A. Sullivan, San Francisco insurance broker, charged as an Alvarado bank robber, and Attorney Frank Maguire begin his fight to free Sullivan in the superior court before Judge L. S. Church late today.

Assistant District Attorney John U. Calkins was the last witness for the state, testifying as to conversations had with Sullivan and with Marion Appleton in the county jail. Maguire was scheduled to call Eddie "Boston" Lepehan on the witness stand to deny statements made by brother members of the so-called "Thirty Strong" gang, but if he intends to press Jack Beche and Harry Sullivan for the defense, he is keeping their whereabouts secret.

Sullivan will first establish an alibi showing that he was in San Francisco at the time of the robbery and will then attempt to break down the testimony of the "Thirty Strongers" who have turned state's evidence by introducing Beche and Fitzgerald, District Attorney Ezra Decoto, who is prosecuting the case, admits that Sullivan was not in on the actual robbery, but maintains that the testimony of witnesses establishes the fact that he planned the hold-up in the Howard-street shack in San Francisco and received \$1000 from the \$23,000 haul.

Britain Will Pay U. S. Millions On Account

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Great Britain's payment of \$25,000,000 in principal and interest, under the Lend-Lease scheme for liquidating the debt of \$122,000,000 incurred during the war by the purchase of 100,000,000 standard silver dollars for the relief of the silver famine in India, falls due Friday.

An additional payment of \$7,000,000 also falls due May 15, officials added, under the agreement making provision for payment from April 15, 1919.

Motorist Turns Too Sharply, Rams Car

ALAMEDA, April 11.—Fred Spackman, 1815 Union street, turned the corner at Clement and Union so sharply yesterday that he collided with the automobile of Mrs. G. A. Nantz, which was standing in front of her home on the corner. Both machines were damaged and the driver was injured.

Army Uniform Found in Park Unoccupied

ALAMEDA, April 11.—The Alameda police are wondering where the man who is supposed to fill the army uniform which was picked up on a bench in Lincoln park yesterday. The uniform was found by Herman Grub, the park tender, and was turned over to the police. The authorities at the Presidio were notified.

War Secrets Out at Last!

Oakland Tribune Secures Great Lansing Book and Daniels' Story of Navy

All the world has been waiting for the story of former Secretary of State Lansing on the peace conference, the split with Wilson, the Shantung affair, the Japanese bluff of all the nations. It will be the most noted contribution to diplomatic literature of a decade. The Oakland TRIBUNE has secured exclusive rights for its newspaper publication in the San Francisco bay territory.

"What America Did and Failed to Do at Paris" will be answered by the man best qualified of all the statesmen to answer it. He will give a complete story of the confidential happenings inside the peace conference. Publication will start in The OAKLAND TRIBUNE Saturday, April 16.



The Year's Biggest Newspaper Features

Truths Never Before Revealed

Almost simultaneously with the Lansing publication will come Joseph Daniels' inside story of war secrets that have never before been trusted on paper. Sensational revelations will be made in his series of articles which will start in the Oakland TRIBUNE exclusively April 17. He will tell: Inside facts regarding the biggest mine operation in the world's history—how we put the North Sea mine barrage in operation after the British declared it could not be done. Taking the little nursery rhymes used to baffle German submarines. The thrilling story of submarine chaser 28 lost for a month in the Atlantic, awaiting capture and navigating under sails made of bed clothes to the Azores and safety. Tracking submarines; trailing the hornets from the time they left their nests; depth bomb tactics. How we safeguarded supremely important plants—guarding against German spies—some things we never trusted to paper—the mysterious disappearance of the "Black Plan" for war with Germany. Things never before revealed.

Read These Amazing Narratives in the **Oakland Tribune**

Man Braves Fire to Save Phonograph

BERKELEY, April 11.—The churning music are causing George Mathews, 1323 Hearst avenue, pain today. Standing with a friend in his backyard yesterday, Mathews saw the sudden flames of his home burst into the burning dwelling. Firemen arrived in time to drag the occupant to safety.

"Who's in there?" asked the fire-fighters, "a baby?" "Baby nothing," responded Mathews. "It's my new phonograph."

Mathews' phonograph was consumed by the flames, and he was taken to the Emergency hospital where he was treated for burns about the face and hands. The blaze was caused by an open stove. The damage approximated \$500.

UNION PAINTERS OF BAY CITIES STRIKE

Approximately 300 union painters in San Francisco, San Mateo county and Oakland are on strike today against a proposed reduction of 1 per cent in wages recommended recently by a board of arbitration, according to a statement issued today in San Francisco by J. P. Murray, secretary of the painters' organization.

An arbitration board composed of Archbishop Edward J. Hanna, M. C. Stoes and George L. Bell recently recommended a 7 per cent cut in the wages of seventeen workers' crafts on the Pacific coast. Those affected by the recommendation included painters, glass workers and polishers.

According to representatives of the men and officials of the District Council of Painters No. 8, the men refuse to accept the reduction because the arbitration board went beyond the limit of its authority; that the matter was referred to the union men and that the board erred in deciding the reduction was warranted by the decrease in the cost of living and as an incentive to revive business.

Brother Smashes Brother; They Shake

SAN JOSE, April 11.—After a physician had put seven stitches in a scalp wound on the head of Jimmy Stokes, inflicted by a water bottle wielded by his brother Manuel Stokes, the two men shook hands and left the City Emergency hospital, where they had been taken by the police. The fight occurred in a tangle parlor in Second street which the two men own.

SCHOOL CHILDREN IN PAGEANT TODAY HONOR JOHN MUIR

Festival to Be Held in Natural Glade Adjoining Institution Named for Him.

BERKELEY, April 11.—In a natural scenic glade adjoining the school which bears his name, the memory of John Muir will be honored on the afternoon of May 7 with a pageant of school children.

Directed by the John Muir Parent-Teacher Association, Mrs. Nelson M. Dickerman, president, the pageant to be presented is from the pen of Miss Adams, a teacher at the school.

It is arranged in three parts, a program, the consecration of the forest spirits and guardians when informed of the expected invasion of strangers; his arrival, with consequent alighting of fears and the invasions of the subjects of river, mountain, earth and air to Muir to record their mortal view.

Included in this pageant will be several poems describing California glades from the pens of California writers, including Ina Coolbrith and Aristides Phronides. The incidents music is being arranged by Mrs. J. H. Herrick Jr., and Mrs. Lona McCorkle.

Following the pageant the mother of the school assisted by Miss Lydia Atterbury, principal, and members of her faculty, will entertain the guests under the trees on the spacious grounds and on the wide porch of the school.

Spain Appoints New Minister to Mexico

MEXICO CITY, April 11.—Fernando Martinez has been named Spanish minister to Mexico, according to the newspapers here. He succeeds Marufo De Gonzales, who died recently.

Wine Grapes Bring Price of \$100 Ton

MANTECA, April 10.—The first grape contract closed in this district for the season calls for 1000 tons at \$100 a ton, a fancy price, which, a few years ago would have astounded wine grape growers, when \$12 a ton was considered a high price. Edward Powers is the man who signed up to sell. The buyers represent eastern capital.

With the coming of spring comes also the desire to brighten up—brighten up in a manner that eliminates tedious work.

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ANNUAL MEETING TO OPEN TONIGHT

BERKELEY, April 11.—The annual meeting of the Presbytery of the San Francisco district, comprising all churches of Presbyterian denomination on both sides of the bay, will open at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the Northbrae Community church, Alameda and Los Angeles avenues.

Rev. F. W. Russell, pastor of St. John's church of Berkeley, will preach the opening sermon tonight, while Rev. Frank Bush, pastor of the Northbrae Church, will preside at the communion service. Donald McKenzie, moderator of the district, will preside at the meeting, at which the election of a moderator will be featured.

AD. CLUB TO HEAR PROF. CROCHERON

At the Ad club luncheon in the South room of the Hotel Oakland tomorrow, Professor B. H. Crocheron, director of agricultural extension of the University of California, will speak on the subject of "Agricultural Extension Work and the Farm Bureau Movement in California."

Funeral Held for Mt. View Evangelist

MOUNTAIN VIEW, April 11.—Funeral services were held at Palo Alto for John F. Nichols, an evangelist, aged 81, well known in Mountain View, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. E. Shippey, after a long illness. The body was taken to Cypress Lawn for cremation.

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TO MAKE IT EASIER.

Reports from Sacramento are to the effect that a scheme is brewing in the legislature to amend the constitution regarding the regulation therein imposed upon the legislature in the matter of enacting tax levying laws. The object of this plan, so far as it has been developed up to the present, is generally to take more of the restraining power away from the people and to lodge a larger power over taxation with the political administration that happens to be in control of the State government.

But the particularly distasteful suggestion is that to write a new provision into the constitution which would make it possible for the legislature to pass a tax-levying act by a majority vote, instead of the required two-thirds vote at present. This effort is alone sufficient cause for the forthright rejection of the whole scheme when it is submitted to a vote of the people.

Such a suggestion cannot possibly be a part of any sincere reform in tax legislation. It is plainly an attempt to render the control of the legislature by the political machine in office much easier than at present—although the events of the last two months bear witness that control of the legislature is not any too difficult at present. But had a majority vote been adequate to pass the King higher tax bill it would have been unnecessary for the Governor to summon his most efficient political big-stick men to join the administration lobby at the State capital.

To make of the State government an impregnable autocratic bureaucracy is engaging the attention of the most untrustworthy politicians at present. The main idea seems to be to strengthen the political control and to multiply the political perquisites of the administration, regardless of the cost to civil service, public expense and the theory of popular control over governmental policies and conduct. A campaign of further encroachment upon popular voice in the government is being executed.

It is necessary to be on guard against the plot. Instead of making it possible to pass taxation measures by a simple majority of the legislature, it would add to the public safety and the public interest if a four-fifths vote was necessary.

DR. SIMONS INSINCERE.

Dr. Walter Simons, the German foreign minister, announces that within the next few days the German government will submit a proposal on war reparations which, he is confident, will constitute the basis of new discussions between that country and the Allied powers. He says the world will be convinced of the good intentions of Germany to make all possible reparation for the civilian damage suffered on her account.

Perhaps Dr. Simons will produce a better plan than he offered at London; it necessarily will be better if it permits discussion. But this is not what the Allies want, nor is it what they should and probably will insist upon. They have in formed Germany of the scheme of reparations they have agreed upon. That program has been drawn upon by the financial and economic experts, and while it does not please them entirely, it is the best plan they have been able to formulate. Why should they be disposed to consider a Simons plan?

But the sheer truth of the matter is that Dr. Simons is just as insincere as ever and is only making a bid for public approval in this and other countries. In other words, he speaks as the propagandists of the persistent German plot of evasion and obstruction. If there had been any sincere desire on the part of the Berlin government to make prompt reparation of the destruction they wreaked in the occupied territories during the war, the preliminary steps called for in the peace treaty would have been taken long before this.

Germany would not have been in arrears on the payments of the cash debt and in the delivery of material. It would not now be necessary for the Allies to continue the search for stolen cattle, horses and factory machinery.

There is little encouragement to be gained from Dr. Simons' latest assurance. The Allies have prepared a new schedule of penalties to be ap-

plied on May 1 if acceptable progress in discharging her overdue debt and in agreeing upon future payments is not performed by Germany. They are not likely to alter their plans in this regard on the word of a Berlin foreign minister who has adopted the questionable course of attempting to repudiate Germany's responsibility for the war.

FINANCIAL IMPROVEMENT

The improved and more stabilized financial condition of the country is shown by the consolidated report of the Federal Reserve Board at Washington of the operations of the Federal Reserve banks for the week ended April second. Increase of the gold reserve and decrease of note and other paper liability are outstanding features. Compared with 42.9 percent on the corresponding week end of one year ago, the ratio of total reserves to net deposits and Federal Reserve note liability was 52.4 percent. Compared to 47.4 percent for the corresponding week of 1920, the ratio of gold reserves to notes in circulation after setting aside the statutory 33 percent against net deposit liabilities was 63.1 percent.

These ratios indicate an even more notable improvement when compared to the high inflation mark of last October and November, when the Federal Reserve bank began to enforce measures against unessential new credits. Then the gold reserves receded to dangerously near the legal minimum ratio to be maintained against note liability—to under forty percent.

The progress above indicated toward normality has been achieved at heavy cost to the volume of business. The total volume of business, as measured by debits to individual accounts, for the week ended April 2 was \$6,484,000,000, compared to \$9,613,278,000 for the corresponding week of last year, or a loss of \$3,149,000,000.

But this loss of business volume means a most important gain in financial solidarity and the elimination of a large volume of paper credits that had to be eliminated. It spells a strong position from which the country may start a vigorous revival of business and industry.

COSTLY NEGLIGENCE.

Three weeks ago a navy balloon with five officers comprising its crew and observers left Pensacola, Florida, for a free flight in the uncertain atmosphere. The wreck of the balloon has been found at sea off Cape San Blas. No word has been received from or concerning the human cargo it carried. The Navy Department at Washington has given up the men as lost.

This tragedy—for such it seems to be—is another indictment of carelessness in the Navy Department regarding the air service. Last December a navy balloon left New York for an observation flight. It was caught in a storm and landed in Canada, near the Arctic circle, in blizzard zero weather. By mere chance an Indian hunter was encountered and the three officers who had ridden in the balloon were saved. They were without food for several days, and practically without shoes and clothing when rescued.

It should not be difficult for the directors of the naval air service to bear in mind that the old saying, what goes up must come down, is apt to be proved with practical regularity, and that a balloon without motive power of its own is largely subservient to the air currents it encounters. Furthermore that any balloon released at or near an Atlantic port is apt to be driven out to sea.

Cognizant of these facts, provisions ought to be made for the maximum of safety of the officers and student pilots who are being trained for useful service. If the lives of these students are to be foolishly and needlessly risked every time they make an ascension there is little use to spend time in training them. It would be a simple matter to equip balloons with aluminum life boats, or to make the basket-shaped car waterproofed and of aluminum; to furnish a reserve supply of food and water on practice flights. Certainly nothing would be lost in providing these quite ordinary safeguards and valuable lives might be saved thereby.

The Navy Department ignored the lessons of the Canadian balloon flight. Will it be as impervious to the lesson of the Pensacola tragedy?

Whatever may be the ultimate developments in connection with the peace of Versailles the war of words probably will go on forever.

THIS THING WE WILL NOT DO.

The extraordinary fiction that our Liberty bonds will be exchanged or cancelled for German bonds to the amount of our Government war loans to the Allies, thus relieving the Allies from their debts owed to the United States Treasury, crops up again, this time in Germany, where, according to the Associated Press, the suggestion is popular and the matter under negotiation.

But, whether these imaginings are sent a-wing in Germany, France, Great Britain or anywhere else, does it never occur to those that dream such dreams who it is that owns the Liberty bonds on which was raised the money that was lent to the Allies to the tune of almost ten billions of dollars?

When the American people put up their cash and resources to win the war they did not subscribe for, they did not agree to take and they did not get any security but the Liberty bonds and Victory notes of the United States Government. These securities belong to the people who bought and paid for them. The United States Government can redeem them as they mature, it can buy them in the open market, it can offer to exchange with the holders of them a different security for their Liberty bonds and Victory notes. But it is only the individual owners of these Liberty bonds and Victory notes who can determine whether they will or will not exchange them or in any other way part with them before they are payable at maturity.

And there is about as much chance that the American holders of these Liberty bonds and Victory notes of the Government would exchange them for German securities, or Belgian securities, or any other securities of a foreign power as that they would swap their own United States of America for Madagascar or Yap.—New York Herald.

NOTES and COMMENT

This is altogether different. Employees in the public schools of Seattle, comprising engineers, firemen, custodians and janitors, petition for a reduction of 10 per cent in their wages, and cite the decreased cost of living in justification of their action. A strange part of the new action is that the school board, instead of precipitately accepting the petition and closing the incident forthwith, took it "under advisement."

A letter mailed in New York in 1917 has reached its destination in an Alabama town. The Kansas City Star opines that Mr. Hays will be generous and award the bulk of the credit for this delivery to the man he succeeded a month ago.

The San Luis Obispo Tribune thinks we shall recover from most of the effects of the war in time, but probably never from the four-minute speakers who were developed then and seem not to have found out that the war is over.

Premier Lloyd George has proved equal to every emergency that has arisen since his accession to power, some of which appeared to be menacing; but perhaps no other was quite as serious as that which is now confronting Britain in the miners' strike.

It was to be expected that stories would be started about violent disagreements in the cabinet. It hasn't been established yet that there has been a disagreement, but President Harding is not as well assured on that head as his predecessor was. He has around him all kinds of advisers men who have minds of their own, which they are likely to exercise, instead of using a rubber stamp.

The Utah Press gives an instance of history repeating itself: "In 1670—Indians sell Manhattan Island for a jug of whisky. In 1921—Citizens offer to swap back."

The Sacramento Bee elucidates: "The Santa Rosa city policeman in her report to the council mentioned sixteen young women sent from the dance hall to roll up their stockings. Financially speaking, this does not necessarily mean that she objects to women carrying their rolls in their stockings."

The wicked partner again, according to the Fresno Republican: "Each man who writes about the conduct of the war makes it clear that he could have done very well except for his colleagues."

According to the Chico Record, the amenities between Redding and Red Bluff will now be easier: "Contracts have been let for the completion of the highway between Redding and Red Bluff. This will enable the two communities, which love one another so to await each other at close range, rather than long distance."

The Richmond Record-Herald makes an observation in reading mankind: "Most people seem to have something the matter with them nowadays. If the wheels in their heads are not going around the right way, then it is their stomach aches. Too much canned grub and not enough digging in the garden for exercise."

San Bernardino Sun gives a hunch so you may know what is the matter when you get tired: "Science has discovered that fatigue is caused by ketonoxins—so you know what infests your system when you get that tired feeling."

The Medford Mail Tribune makes a scientific observation: "Prof. Einstein, discoverer of a new set of laws for the universe, should be hired to crack the scientific nut: Why does the lay chase a man with a pint of hooch to the end of the earth, and then accept the theory that the bootlegger who peddled the same residues the moon? This question may be answered by establishing the relativity of atoms."

The Richmond Terminal tells of some hot stuff: "The term 'Wonderful' was used 56 times the other night by a four-minute spellbinder. It may be necessary to lay this word aside for awhile and allow it to cool off."

SPIRIT of the STATE PRESS.

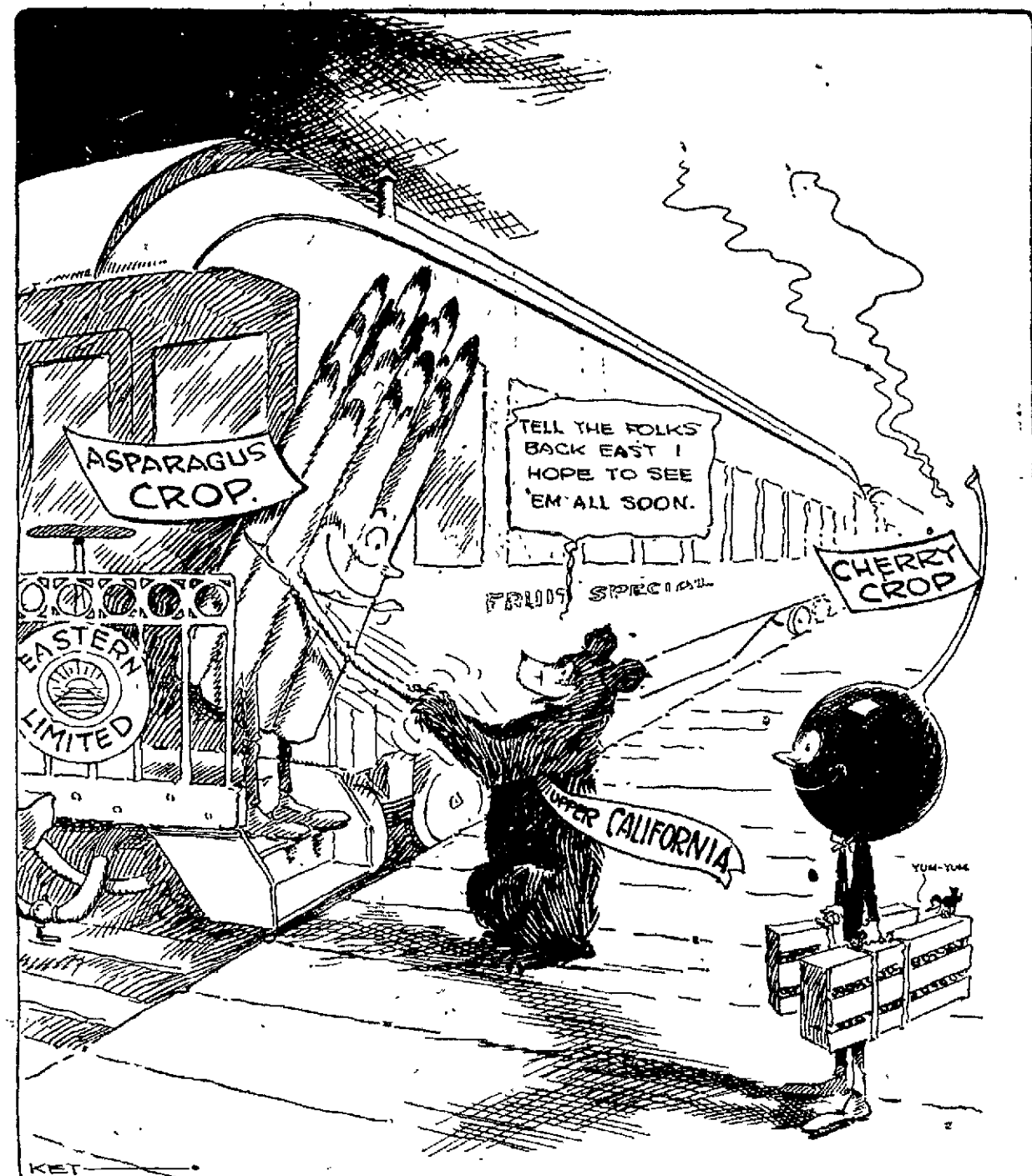
One of the unexplained phenomena of the age is not so much the spread of the blue-law agitation as it is the occasional success of it. The passage of laws compelling Sunday observance would have been unthinkable a couple of years ago. Whatever may be the cause of the movement, however, the enthusiasts backing it cannot hope to accomplish their ultimate aim—Palo Alto Times.

To drive an automobile over a cliff seventy feet high at the speed of twenty-five miles an hour and survive without even a scratch, sounds like the unusual portage of modern moving pictures, but such an experience became a reality when W. E. Ellis, a representative of Gale Brothers' wholesale grocery of San Francisco, piloted his machine from the pavement of the Oroville lateral into the rocky bed of the Feather river.—Oroville Register.

A map was recently published in San Francisco in which certain section of the State are made to appear as a desert. Will we never learn the futility of attempting to boost one section of the State at the expense of another?—Woodland Democrat.

Passports to leave the United States are not required. Persons who have enjoyed running down the country, please take notice. There is no bar to your moving now.—San Jose Mercury-Herald.

EASTBOUND TOURISTS.



WHAT'S DOING TO NIGHT

American Legion Fiesta, Nineteenth and Telegraph avenue. Neighbors of Woodcraft, anniversary celebration. School Women's Club holds theater party, MacArthur. Oakland Moose give entertainment. Oakland Circle No. 255 celebrates anniversary, Pacific building. Illinois Society meets, St. George's hall. Abert Invidia meets. Dr. Ng Poon Chew speaks at Brotherhood banquet, Tenth Avenue Baptist church, 6:30. Franklin F. Farrington lectures, Hotel Oakland. Orpheum—Vandeville. Fulton—Fuzzled Wives. Pantages—September Morn. State—Why Trust Your Husband? American—Kazan. T. & D.—Charles Ray. Kinema—The Witching Hour. Franklin—Forbidden Fruit. Broadway—The Texan. Arcadia—Dancing. Jorda Park—Dancing and skating. Neptune Beach—Surf swimming. Lake Merritt—Boating.

WHAT'S DOING TOMORROW

Curious Moneys exhibit, Oakland Public Museum, afternoon. Girls' Training Home benefit card party, Alameda, evening. Seia-An club gives minstrel show, Alameda, evening. American Legion Fiesta, Nineteenth and Telegraph avenue. Iroquois council gives masquerade ball, evening. Contra Costa Hills club, Indian Gulch, 6 p. m. Ebbl club benefit card party, afternoon. Rabbi Herman Lisauer speaks, Covenant hall, afternoon. Macabees hold whist party, Pacific building, evening. Civil Service Board meets, City Hall, evening. Merchants' Exchange meets, evening. Aloha Native Daughters hold whist party, Pacific building, evening. Berkeley Story Tellers' League meets, evening. Dr. Ng Poon Chew speaks, First Presbyterian church, evening. THE ETHERAL PARADOX. Women are buying more clothes than men, but men continue to wear more clothes than women.—Indianapolis News.

THE JESTER

Well, Practice Makes Perfect. She—Do you write much for the magazines nowadays? He—Well, yes, in proportion to the amount I get into them.—Boston Transcript. Easy Enough. "If you're so smart in 'rhythm,' said Bobby's sister, 'how many times do 3 go into 12?'" "Aw, that's easy," said Bobby in disgusted tones; "three times and 3 over."—Boston Transcript. Sater To Elroy. He—Will you marry me if I ask your father's consent? She—I'm afraid not.—Exchange.

OF COURSE

Joe and Jim, two 5-year-old playfellows, had been amusing themselves with the former's electric railway. Tiring of the smoothly running train, Joe said: "Let's have a wreck." "All right," answer Jim (whose father is a lawyer), "and if any one's hurt we'll ask for damages." Joe looked at him in amazement, exclaiming: "What's the matter with you, kid? You'd already have the damages."—Indianapolis News.

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About YOUR HEALTH

Some Causes of Nosebleed and Ways to Stop an Attack

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.,
Commissioner of Health, New York City.

A most common form of hemorrhage is nosebleed. Nosebleed may result from injury, from local disease or from some systemic disturbance.

Certain diseases of the kidneys, liver, lungs and heart produce congestion and may cause nosebleed. Some acute fevers have bleeding from the nose as one of the symptoms. Measles, influenza, pneumonia, diphtheria, whooping cough, scarlet fever, and especially typhoid fever are such diseases. Anemia and other ailments where the blood quality is reduced may have nosebleed as one of the complications.

I saw a case some years ago where a woman had had a nosebleed almost continually for a period of a year or more. This seems impossible, but of course the bleeding was not severe, except on occasions. Any extra effort, a sneeze, stooping over, or any emotion, would be followed by a gush of blood.

You can imagine the fear and inconvenience of such an experience. For a whole year this poor soul kept to her home and, indeed, hardly left her bed or chair. Her nose was filled with clotted blood which she did not dare to blow out or remove, for fear of renewing the bleeding.

How was this year-old condition cured? After clearing out the clot, medicine was put in the nose to render the treatment entirely painless. Then a hot electric needle was applied to the bleeding point. The spot was sealed over and, as if by magic, the trouble was ended.

It is frequently the case that diseases which are disagreeable, painful and productive of fear are trifling after all. Consult your friend the doctor whenever any annoying symptom which you cannot explain continues to trouble you.

Perverved or vicarious menstruation may take the form of bleeding from the nose.

In the treatment of nosebleed there are a number of household remedies. Cold applications are recommended. They may be used on the back of the neck or over the nose. Sometimes putting the feet in hot water will "draw" the blood away from the head and thus assist in controlling the hemorrhage.

Filling the passage with vaseline may stop the oozing. Other remedies are vinegar, lemon juice, alum, iron and peroxide of hydrogen. By all means use the most satisfactory agent for controlling nosebleed is adrenalin. This wonderful drug may be purchased at any drug store in solutions of 1 to 1000. It is applied on cotton and almost instantly the bleeding will stop.

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CHRISTIANSEN IS SENTENCED TO 125 DAYS IN JAIL

Notice Is Given of Appeal for Habeas Corpus Writ in Contempt Case

Attorney T. L. Christiansen, with offices at 1007 Broadway, today was sentenced by Superior Judge A. J. St. Sure to 125 days in the Alameda county jail, after Christiansen refused to pay a fine of \$125 following his conviction on a contempt charge by the court last week.

Before sentencing Judge St. Sure exhorted the defendant. Both the defense and prosecution introduced character witnesses.

As soon as Christiansen's counsel were advised of the sentence, they announced they immediately would apply to the appellate court in San Francisco for a writ of habeas corpus. Pending the application, Christiansen was remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

Christiansen was adjudged in contempt of court last week after he had been established by the evidence as a client named Landi not to appear in court in connection with a trial.

Former District Attorney W. H. L. Hynes, appearing for the prosecution as character witness, created a mild sensation when he charged that Christiansen had figured in the escape from the county jail of a prisoner named Walter Bradley Williams, with the murder of Walter Williams.

Deputy Sheriff Jack Collier testified that when Bradley had been recaptured he had declared a refusal to answer several questions in his possession had been given to him by Christiansen.

Other witnesses, who testified against the defendant, included Chapman, Stanley Starnes, E. N. Nibbaum and Phil Carey. Those who testified in behalf of Christiansen included Frank Gordon, John W. Gueph and J. E. Thomas.

"When you committed your offense of contempt in the Landi case," said Judge St. Sure, addressing Christiansen, "by advising the witness not to appear in court, you were striking a direct blow at civilization. Civilization rests on the law, the law rests on the courts; the courts rest on popular respect.

"You aided in destroying that respect by your conduct."

Ballet and "Little Symphony" Will Show New York Features



MILIE AMATA GRASSI, dancer, who will appear at the Greek Theater this month with the Ballet Intime.

Winners Announced in Debate Contest

The report on the Tri-City high school students debate on the question "Resolved that the United States should subsidize the construction and maintenance of its merchant marine" was completed today. The subject was debated simultaneously in the five high schools of Oakland and Berkeley on Friday each school entering two teams. The results are:

San Francisco vs. Technical, Emory Stone and Marion Grimsley, winning for Fremont.

Fremont vs. Oakland, Forrest Wilson and Oakland Stupovich, winning for Fremont.

University vs. Berkeley, George Blake and Gertrude Turner, winning for University.

Technical vs. Berkeley, Wendall Bradshaw and Ira Cohn, winning for Technical.

Oakland vs. Berkeley, Pardee Low and John Truman, winning for Oakland.

S. P. Workers Meet to Discuss Wage Cut

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Unskilled shop laborers employed by the Southern Pacific railroad are in conference with General Manager Dyer today on the question of the proposed wage cut that the road officials have advocated.

Opinion in both railroad and labor circles here is that the men will follow the action of other unskilled men, who last week refused to agree to a wage reduction.

Unskilled employees of the Santa Fe and Western Pacific roads have already refused to accept wage reductions.

All the appeals of the various railroads will now be turned over to the railroad labor board for action in the general wage conference to be held on April 18.

Woman Accused of Passing Bad Check

Mrs. Lucille Stange, wife of Oscar Stange, a member of the Detroit American League team, who is charged with passing worthless checks, was arraigned this morning before Police Judge Edward J. Tyrrell. The preliminary examination was set for April 20. The complaint was sworn to by William Casey, assistant manager of the Hotel Oakland. He charges that she gave the hotel a check of \$20, which was worthless.

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OAKLAND WANTS NEW HEARING IN GAS RATE CASE

Opportunity Asked to Present Additional Evidence to Railroad Board.

The city of Oakland today petitioned the state railroad commission to grant a rehearing of the case of the Pacific Gas and Electric company before the commission asking for an increase of gas rates. The grounds set forth for requesting a rehearing are based on an investigation of figures. The petition, signed by City Attorney L. L. Lusk, recited:

"Your petitioner prays your honorable body to grant a rehearing in this proceeding to enable petitioner to establish the fact that the conclusions drawn by the commission were erroneous and to present evidence showing that the estimates based on such conclusions are based on erroneous and that the decision is not supported by the evidence submitted. Your petitioner also respectfully requests that a date certain to be set for the hearing upon this application, at which time representatives of petitioner may be present to submit evidence and argument thereon.

The petition further requests that decision No. 8813, and the rates therein specified be in the meantime suspended and set aside and that the entire matter be reopened.

Chinese Give Bail in Murder Cases

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Ten Chinese obtained their release on bail in the Superior court today following their indictment for murder in connection with the killing of Tom Joo Yee on March 18 at Pine street and Grant avenue. Following the killing, the grand jury began an inquiry, with the result that indictments were returned against two score alleged tong men. The police have arrested twelve so far, and Superior Judge Loughback today returned bail to two—Leon Xing and Wong Leong Gai. Those who gave bonds in the sum of \$10,000 were K. C. Lee, Hoo Doo, Chin Fong, Young Gar Ping, Leong Goo, Shee, Yung Jung, Chin Goo Kee, Young Quong and Jung Yoo.

Wife of Suspected Bandit Seeks Parole

Mrs. Gladys Fleming, alias Gladys Leiding, wife of John ("Doc") Fleming, who is awaiting trial in San Francisco on a charge of having shot Policeman John Trainor, today withdrew her plea of not guilty in connection with the killing of the policeman. She was arrested in a "third-string" gang, and substituted a plea of guilty, before Judge G. E. Samuels.

Mrs. Fleming is charged with receiving stolen goods. She was arrested in connection with one of the raids conducted on two rendezvous of the alleged robbers of the Alvarado bank.

Mrs. Fleming asked for probation. Her case was referred to the probation officer and April 28 set for a report.

Dewey's Former Cook Is Released by Judge

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Twenty-three years ago Lo Sam was cook for Admiral George Dewey on the flagship Olympia during the battle of Manila Bay. That fact has helped him in good stead when he appeared before Police Judge Jacks charged with peddling lottery tickets. When the magistrate heard of his historic associations he dismissed the charge.

New Lights Uut On Rail Right-of-Way

Eighty-six new street lights have been installed along the right-of-way of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railway Company in Oakland as a result of a recent complaint that the arc lights along the right-of-way were antiquated, according to an announcement today from the street department.

\$2,000,000 IN TAX PAYMENTS DUE IN NEXT TWO WEEKS

County Collector Kelly Says \$1,000,000 Will Be Sent in Last Day.

With two weeks remaining before county taxes become delinquent, county Tax collector M. J. Kelly announced today that he expects \$2,000,000 will be paid into the office during the last week and about \$1,000,000 on the last day. On the last day before taxes for the first installment become delinquent the sum of \$1,250,000 was paid in, but the amount to be collected for the second installment is not so great as that received on the first installment, partly because personal and special taxes are due on the first installment and partly because some persons pay all of their taxes for the year when the first installment becomes due.

At noon today slightly more than \$4,750,000 had been paid in for all of the year's taxes, out of a total charge of \$6,941,142. During the last week approximately \$2,600,000 has been received. It is estimated that between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000 will be turned in this week and that next week the log wash will begin.

Kelly said today that while big corporations and business concerns do not pay their taxes until the very last day, the bulk of the interest on the money which makes a considerable item to them, is paid by the small property holders. That is why there is so much work in handling one of these as one involving a much greater amount of the smaller sums helps immensely in handling the enormous mass of the big business organizations send the tax by mail which also helps to relieve the congestion at the windows.

Two Held On Charge Jewelry Burglary

Edgar Stephenson and Manuel Cabral were both held to answer in the Superior court on a charge of jewelry burglary by Judge Edward J. Tyrrell this morning. Stephenson is accused of entering the apartment of Mrs. Marie A. Metcalf, 484 Wickson avenue, March 21 and taking jewelry and silverware valued at several hundred dollars. Cabral, according to the police is an ex-convict, and is looked out. The bail was fixed at \$2000 each.

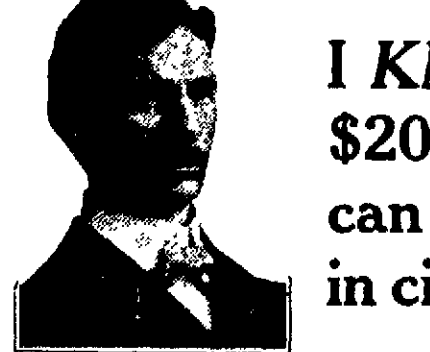
Stephenson is 20 years old, married and has a 3-month-old baby. His family resides at 3631 Broadway street, Elmhurst. The same two men were arrested by the pawnshop police after they had pawned some of the loot. The police say.

Students Supplying School Furnishings

Boys in the Oakland schools learning manual training are now devoting their efforts toward supplying the various schools with articles needed in the department. Ash cans, water buckets, library tables and other articles are included in the weekly production. The savings to the department is said by Superintendent of Schools Fred M. Hunter to run into hundreds of dollars per month. Therefore the students have produced articles to which institutions. The boys have been of use to them and others which have served merely as house decorations.

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When the Oakland city charter was framed the data furnished by me referring to revenue and finance was incorporated in the charter verbatim. When the city's accounting system was under consideration, I was called in by experts and spent a great deal of time perfecting the system which is now in use.

As Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue and Finance, the budget submitted to the Council was my work.

The tax rate depends upon the budget—and the budget depends upon the man preparing it. I have been in close official touch with the city's finances, revenues and taxes for over fifteen years, and I am convinced that

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Brown Drunk Four Times A Week in 1919, Wife Says

Admitting that she kept notes in a "little red book" of the actions of her husband and his condition during the times he is alleged to have been under the influence of liquor and of his treatment of her and his two sons prior to the time court proceedings were started with a view of applying to a divorce, Mrs. Florence Brown Evans announced before the nation of Piedmont continued her testimony this morning before Superior Judge Koford under cross-examination and in her effort to obtain an injunction of divorce and alimony of \$200 a month. The cross-examination was conducted by M. C. Chapman, chief counsel for husband Herbert Hamilton Brown, wealthy San Francisco insurance man who is contesting his wife's charges of extreme cruelty.

ONE BOY DROWNS AND ONE SAVED BY HEROIC CHUM

Sunday Tragedy Marks Swim of Hayward Youngsters at Week Dam.

HAYWARD, April 11.—(Aired to Tribune.)—A swim of Hayward youngsters at the Week dam Sunday was marked by a tragedy. One boy drowned and another was saved by a heroic chum.

The swim was held at the Week dam, a popular spot for the Hayward youngsters. The swim was held on Sunday afternoon, and a large number of boys participated.

One boy, whose name was not disclosed, drowned. Another boy, who was with him, saved him by pulling him out of the water.

The tragedy was a sad one, and the community is mourning the loss of the young man.

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The court also denied the contention of the Missouri Pacific Railroad company that the Missouri state long and short haul law of 1872 is unconstitutional.

Under the law the Metcalf Coal company brought suit to recover \$14,000 from the railroad for alleged overcharges on shipments of coal. The railroad contended that the railroad charged more for carrying the coal than permitted by the law which prohibited the charging of a higher rate for a shorter than a longer haul.

The supreme court decided that state laws restricting uses of navigable waters are not in conflict with the federal laws relating to navigation. The issue was raised by Dr. C. D. Whipple of Minneapolis, in an appeal to the United States supreme court.

DEAD BURGLAR IS RODRIGUES

That the burglar who was shot and killed by Charles Combs, 55 Juana avenue, San Leandro, last Saturday evening while he was endeavoring to gain entrance to Combs' house was Carmelo Rodrigues, a Porto Rican negro was established this morning by Frank R. Paulson, inspector of the identification department of the Oakland police.

Paulson took the fingerprints of the dead man. Comparison with the fingerprints of Rodrigues, who was held by San Francisco police following his arrest on December 24, 1920, established the burglar's identity conclusively.

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In the benefit soccer game at Eighth and Market streets in San Francisco yesterday afternoon the Thistles defeated the Olympic club team, score 3 goals to 0.

RIFLE TEAM TO ENGLAND.
NEW YORK, April 11.—An inter-collegiate rifle team will be sent to England this year to compete against representative British team.

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OAKLAND LODGE No. 107

meets every Tuesday evening, 8 p. m.

14th and Franklin sts. Office 460 15th st., room 11.

Next meeting, April 11, Sir Knight Ramon De la Cruz, District Attorney of Alameda County, will address the tent on the subject of Communism.

M. M. MACDONALD, Com.

J. L. FINE, R. E.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS

COURT ADVOCATE No. 7373

at Jenny Lind hall, 2225 Telegraph avenue every Friday.

J. W. Reilly, Sec'y.

JAS. McCRAE, Sec'y.

Piedmont avenue.

B. A. Y.

OAKLAND HOMESTEAD

meets Friday evening, April 1, 1921, at 1415 Harrison st.

Foreman, Mrs. Gertrude Melonis.

4247 Lockley ave., Oakland; phone 1612.

Correspondent, 478 19th st., Oakland 1683.

EAGLES

OAKLAND AERIE No. 7

meets Monday nights, N. S. G. W. hall 11th and Clay sts.

D. 4113 Terrace st., office hours 2-4, 7-8 p. m.; phone 1612.

Dr. L. A. Stuck Physicians bldg. 1225 Washington st., phone 5134, res. 1612.

Paid here, paid here, paid here, 12th st., phone Oakland 1103.

Nomination of officers, April 25; election May 1; convention June 1.

State convention will convene at 1415 Harrison st.

LODGE NOTICES

I. O. O. F.

PORTER LODGE No. 272, I. O. O. F.

meets every Monday evening in Porter hall, 1415 Grove street. Visiting brethren welcome.

Next meeting, April 11th; second degree. Team please take notice and be ready to receive his position promptly when the team is called to the floor.

On April 12th there will be a district meeting at Odd Fellows' temple, on which evening Golden State Lodge of Vallejo will confer the first degree on a large class of candidates. Grand Master Keene will be there.

O. F. JOHNSON, R. S.

OAKLAND LODGE No. 118

meets Tuesday evening, 8 p. m.

14th and Franklin sts. Office 460 15th st., room 11.

Next meeting, April 12.

There will be a district meeting, April 12, at 1415 Harrison st.

Golden State Lodge of Vallejo will confer the first degree on a large class of candidates. The Grand Master will be with us.

M. F. CLARK, N. G. H. Lake 3470.

J. M. HALL, Rec. Sec'y, Phone 8834.

FOUNTAIN LODGE No. 118

meets Tuesday evening, 8 p. m.

14th and Franklin sts. Office 460 15th st., room 11.

Next meeting, April 12.

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BUNDLE OF STICKS

Regular meeting, Friday evening, April 15, 8 p. m.

Meet the 2d Friday of each month in the I. O. O. F. Temple.

J. D. CROFT, Sec'y.

L. C. J. E. T. Sorbie, Bacon Pled.

phone Oakland 4640.

AMERICAN Legion

Office and rooms, 306 12th and Oakland, 1311

Oakland Post No. 5 meets 1st and 3d Tuesdays

clubroom, room 21, Next meeting, April 13.

E. G. WINSBY, Commander

T. H. HOPKINS, Adjutant

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

of Oakland Post No. 5, A. L. J.

meets Monday evening, April 12, at 8 p. m.

14th and Franklin sts. Office 460 15th st., room 11.

Next meeting, April 12.

ADELLE CARL, Sec'y.

Phone Merritt 3224.

W. W. C. W.

The Women and Girl Workers of the Civil War meets

Wednesday, April 13, 1921, Memorial hall, City Hall. You are invited to join.

SARAH H. WILSON, Com.

ANNA C. WILSON, Sec'y.

AMERICAN WAR Mothers

of Oakland meets 2d and 4th Thursday of each month

at 2:30 p. m. in Memorial hall, City Hall.

You are invited to join.

MRS. C. J. WATERHOUSE, Pres.

MRS. J. E. S. Sec'y.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

OF THE UNITED STATES

(The Gold Star Order)

Membership open to all Soldiers, Sailors and Marines who have been for foreign service.

COL. JOHN J. ASTOR Post No. 85

meets 1st and 3d Friday of each month at 2:30 p. m. in Memorial hall, City Hall.

Visitors cordially invited.

Next meeting, April 15.

WM. F. BARKS, Adjutant.

404 14th st., Oakland 2483

BRITISH AMERICAN

Great War Veterans Association of Oakland meets 1st and 3d Monday of each month

at 2:30 p. m. in Memorial hall, City Hall.

You are invited to join.

FRED V. CLARK, Hon. Sec'y.

UNITED SPAN. WAR VETS

JOSEPH H. McCORT CAMP No. 14

meets Thursday, April 14, at 8 p. m.

14th and Franklin sts. Office 460 15th st., room 11.

Next meeting, April 14.

FRED V. CLARK, Hon. Sec'y.

I. O. O. F.—Manchester Unity

MANCHESTER LODGE

I. O. O. F. No. 3053, Man-

chester, 1415 Harrison st., 8 p. m.

Jennie Lind hall, 2225 Telegraph ave., 1st and 3d Mondays in the month.

Next meeting, April 11.

D. A. CARL, Sec'y.

The grand anniversary ball, given by the East Bay District—Alameda County, will be held at the Ashmead Temple pavilion, 1260 Harrison st., April 24, 1921. Members take here.

A STRICTLY AMERICAN ORGANIZATION.

HERMANN'S SONS

CALIFORNIA LODGE No. 2

meets April 4, 8 p. m., in Hermann's Son hall, 1125

West st., 12th. Joint monthly dance, Edelweiss Lodge No. 2, every 2nd Thursday.

Visiting brethren welcome. Joint installation April 14.

HERMAN REICHERT, President.

WM. LUEDDEKE, Financial Sec'y.

900 7th street, Oakland 3204

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS

COURT OAKLAND 1237

meets 1st and 3d Thursday of each month, 8 p. m.

14th and Franklin sts. Office 460 15th st., room 11.

Next meeting, April 12.

C. F. HASSLER, Chief Ranger.

FRANK M. REED, Financial Sec'y.

1413 Broadway, room 3.

DANISH BROTHERHOOD

PACIFIC LODGE No. 30

meets every Tuesday evening, 8 p. m.

14th and Franklin sts. Office 460 15th st., room 11.

Next meeting, April 12.

N. H. NIELSEN, 317 E. 17th st.

NICK ANDERSON, Cor. Sec'y; phone 1612.

LODGE NOTICES

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

OAKLAND LODGE No. 193

meets Thursday evening, April 14, ESQUIRE RANK.

EDWARD R. MAINWARRING, C. C.

JAMES DENNISTON, K. of R. and S.

PARAMOUNT LODGE No. 17

meets Pythian Castle, 12th and

Alice sts. Tuesday evening.

April 13th, ESQUIRE RANK.

T. R. M. CLARK, C. C.

J. B. DUNHAM, K. R. S. Oak 3703.

Pied. 50353.

DORIS LODGE No. 234

meets in Pythian Castle, 12th and

Alice sts. Tuesday evening.

April 12, ESQUIRE RANK.

C. L. GILMAN, C. C.

CARL F. WOOD, K. of R. and S.

LAKESIDE LODGE No. 142

meets in Pythian Castle, 12th and

Alice sts. Tuesday evening.

April 11th, in the month.

Pythian Castle, ESQUIRE RANK.

T. R. M. CLARK, C. C.

J. B. DUNHAM, K. R. S. Oak 3703.

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ELM LODGE No. 234

meets Tuesday evening, 8 p. m.

14th and 14th st. ESQUIRE RANK.

T. R. M. CLARK, C. C.

GEO. WICKWORTH, K. of R. and S.

PYTHIAN SISTERS

GALANTHE TEMPLE, Pythian

Sisters, 12th and Alice sts.

Every Tuesday evening, Pythian Castle.

Next meeting, April 12.

MRS. MARTHA HODGE, M. E. C.

MRS. FLORENCE FLEISHER, M. of

ABU ZAID TEMPLE No. 201

D. O. K. K.

Regular meeting first Monday each month.

Golden Key ceremonial, April 30, at Martine.

FRED M. JOHNSON, R. V.

MABRETT T. STALLWORTH, Sec'y.

SECURITY BENEFIT ASSOCIATION

Successor to the

Knights of Pythias

OAKLAND COUNCIL No. 734

meets 2d and 4th Wed. evgs.

of each month at Knights of

Pythian Castle, 12th and

Alice sts. Next meeting, April 13.

Next meeting, April 13.

FRANK L. MCGILLAN, Fin. Sec.

Y. L. I.

Oakland Inst. No. 15 meets

every 2d and 4th Wed. evgs.

at 8 p. m. in Pythian Castle, 12th and

Alice sts. Next meeting, April 13.

CATHARINE MCMALE, Pres.

CATHARINE RHODES, Sec'y.

MOVIES

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APARTMENTS TO LET

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ATHLETIC APTS. - Nicely furnished 2 rooms and sleeping porch. Call 2424. Atherton, Dr. C. C. and all trains.

AA - Four-room furnished front apartment; new carpet, newly painted; sun in every room; close in; near Raymond Apt. 1461 Alameda St. Oakland 8868.

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AA - RENT, free to couple. Owner will pay board. Box 6112, Tribune.

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MADISON 1565 - Sunny sleeping rm.; rent reasonable; lady preferred.

NICELY furnished front room and garage with private family near beach; 1/2 block to city train; private car; reasonable references. Box 7963, Tribune.

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NICELY furnished room; private home; convenient. 2214 Platt.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS - Continued

HARRISON ST. 1023 - Outside hskp. room; Americans preferred.

JEFFERSON ST. 1425 - Clean and newly furnished hskp. room.

LINCOLN ST. 1837 - Furn. housekeeping room; private bath and sink and pantry; 4 rooms, suitable for 4 adults.

MAINE ST. 304 - C. car. to Rhoda Ave. - 2 rms. use of kitchen; business woman preferred. \$30.

MADISON 1565 - Sunny 3 housekeeping rms., running water, gas, elec., phone. \$25.

MYRTLE ST. 1516 - 2 housekeeping rooms, no linen; adults; entrance through rear.

MARKET ST. 1329 - Large sunny front room; kitchen, hot water, phone; no objection to one child.

MYRTLE ST. 1831 - 2 rms., cab. kitchen, well; priv. bath. Oak. 9375.

MYRTLE ST. 920 - Furn. and hskp. with kitchenette and gas range.

PART of cottage 2 or 3 rooms; large sunny front room; kitchen, hot water, phone; no objection to one child.

PINE ST. 875 - Three furnished rms.; hskp. room; bath; kitchen; gas, elec., phone. \$25.

SAN PABLO AVE. 2505 - Sunny 2-rm. suite, regular kitchen; gas, elec., hot water; furn.; walk; dist.; reas.

SAN PABLO 2413 - 2 rms., 56 week, furn., regular kitchen, gas, elec., hot water; walk; dist.; reas.

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ROOMS AND BOARD - Continued

14TH ST. 104 - Near 1st ave. - Rm. and board; \$10; conv. to all lines.

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FILBERT ST. 1301 - Sunny front room for 2; near S. F. cars; best board.

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MADISON ST. 607 - Nice, clean room; with ref. and occasional meals if desired; walking distance.

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MAGNOLIA 920 - Rooms and board for shipyard workers; also table board; ref. and occasional meals if desired; walking distance.

MYRTLE 1100 - Room with or without board in private family.

NICE RM. bath, priv. family for 1 or couple; home cooking; 1 blk from Hotel Oakland. Oakland 5694.

LAUREL HEIGHTS - Nicely furnished large room; bath, hot and cold water; breakfast if desired; small Protestant family; gentleman with ref. near S. F. 6280.

VERNON ST. 16 - Room and board to young woman in congenial family. Lake 4355. Apt. 12.

17TH AVE. 1804 - Room to rent, board if desired. Sun. 1888W.

1ST ST. 882 - Large front room for two men or business couple; good home cooking; home comforts.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

BUSINESS man desires home comforts with refined private family; room with 2 meals; near S. F. trains; ref. and occasional meals if desired; walking distance.

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Two gentlemen want room and board with private family. Box 6764, Tribune.

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AAHMS HALL, 1260 Harrison St. day or night; for parties, receptions, etc. For further information see recorder, Aahms Theatre, 13th and Harrison.

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A HOME for two children, also parent. 1837 5th ave.

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SUNNY 3-rm. flat; bath; near transportation; adults. 1506 12th ave.

SUNNY 4-rm. upper flat with bath and rear porch; call after Sun; 10 months on call.

HOUSES TO LET - UNFURNISHED

TELEGRAPH AVE. corner Webster - 3-room house. Bath. 901W.

3-room house with sleeping porch, Broadmoor, San Leandro; rent \$30. Phone San Leandro 108.

4-rm. cottage, bath, basement, \$35. 1262 1/2 27th street.

7-room house, near S. F. trains; 3 rms. bath, near Bay View; owner private bath. U. C. Brown, 6435 Shattuck av.

226 COUNTRYLAND AVE - Take Mills College car; 4-rm. cottage; adults.

HOUSES, UNFURNISHED - WANTED

MAY 1st, 8 or 9 room home, Lake district; will pay up to \$150 per month; will lease. R. C. Papworth, 362 Bacon blvd.

6 OF 7-room bungalow; good location; best references. Berk. 6747W.

HOUSES TO LET - FURNISHED

4-Rm. mod. furn. house; garage; will rent or sell furniture; cheap. 1531 E. 15th street.

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FURNISHED house \$50 a month. See 1837 5th ave. 1888W.

IN UPPER PIEDMONT - 3-rm. house; furnished; view; garden. Tel. Pled. 68613.

I WANT someone to take a furn. 5-rm. house and care of 3 children. Call 2424.

PIEDMONT bungalow; will lease; beautifully furn. modern; 5 rms. 810 porch; garage; nr. cars and K. R. 1837 5th ave.

TO LEASE for 24 hrs. to responsible party, modern 6-room home, richly furnished; furnace, instant hot water; central heating; glass in bookcases and buffet; dums screened, interior finished in gum and ivory oak floors throughout. Price \$3000; \$2100 cash, \$75 per month. Owner, Oakland 8015.

Close in, 50x150; large house and cottage; big income and a buy that will make money. Consider location and money-making possibilities. I consider it one of the best things I've ever offered. Ask me about it. Call 2424. 1837 5th ave. 1888W.

A BEAUTIFUL 5-rm. cement bungalow; garage; fine location; \$1000 cash; easy terms. Oak. 3872.

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HOUSES FOR SALE - Continued

A DOCTOR'S HOME IN FOURTH 8-room, 2-bath, 100x150 ft. boulevard car; a few minutes walk to Key Route; environments of the best; all rooms; handily to schools, carline; 35 minutes to S. F.; \$4200. Terms. See Mr. Gurney, with

AN ALAMEDA BARGAIN Eight rooms; 2-story house in fine condition; hardwood floors downstairs; 1st basement; yard; arranged for 2 families; handy to schools, carline; 35 minutes to S. F.; \$4200. Terms. See Mr. Gurney, with

PAGE & WHITE Cor. 14th and Webster Sts., Oakland

A REAL BEAUTY 7-rm new cement bungalow, Grand ave. dist.; must be sold; terms to suit. CHAS. F. BROWN CO. Owner and Builder. 1707 Broadway. Oak. 925.

An Exceptional Bargain 4th Ave. Terrace; 5 rms. and sdp. porch; 100x150 ft. lot; 2 bks. to cars. Price only \$2000; cash, bal. monthly.

CHAS. F. BROWN CO. 1707 Broadway. Oak. 925 Open Sunday.

A 2 FLATS \$4500 Strictly modern; good repair; garages; all street work; lot 50x150; income \$60 month, \$1000 down. 957-59 52d and 53d streets, Oakland.

A NEW 5-rm. stucco bungalow; reduced price; in swell district. 3821 Woodruff ave. Take car G or H. A BEAUTIFUL bungalow in

SHIPPING, PORT AND WORLD'S COMMERCE

TRUCE IN COAL STRIKE REFLECTED IN STOCK MARKET

Oils, Textiles, Tobacco and Motors Show Firmer Tone; Rails Are Weak.

NEW YORK, April 11.—The truce in the British labor situation and the stronger showing of the Federal Reserve banks were among the elements which contributed to the firmer tone of the stock market at the outset of today's sessions. Oils, particularly the European division, were strong. Textiles, tobacco and copper and other specialties also improved. Moderate reactions occurred in American Sugar, United Fruit, Lakawanna Steel and the rails.

Specialties were in demand during the dull forenoon, the usual favorites in the industrial division recording only nominal changes. American Woolen, Associated Dry Goods, General Electric, General Motors, International Petroleum and General Asphalt were added to the stronger oils. Motors were higher under the lead of Studebaker.

A few weak features embraced American Linsed which declined 4 points and American Smelting and Sumatra Tobacco at losses of 1 to 2 points. Call money opened at 7 per cent, the higher rate being attributed to last week's deficit in actual reserves by the clearing house banks.

MONEY MARKET

FOREIGN EXCHANGE	
Canada	\$89.25
London	2.93
Australia	7.17
Belgium	7.46
Bulgaria	1.35
Czechoslovakia	1.40
Denmark	13.20
Finland	2.50
Greece	7.30
Holland	34.75
Hungary	13.20
India	4.50
Jugoslavia	26.00
Norway	15.25
Poland	15.25
Spain	1.05
Sweden	3.75
Switzerland	17.40
Servia	1.85
Germany	1.85
Turkish pounds	.69

Oakland's bank clearings for today were \$1,439,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—The bank clearings for today were \$220,000.

NEW YORK, April 11.—Prime mercantile paper, 7 1/2% to 8%. Call money, 7% to 7 1/2%. Treasury notes, 6% to 6 1/2%.

LIBERTY BOND PRICES

NEW YORK, April 11.—Liberty bonds: 4 1/2% coupon, 100 to 101; 4 1/2% coupon, 100 to 101; 4 1/2% coupon, 100 to 101.

LOCAL PRODUCE

Dates—Dried, golden, 16.25; 17.50; 18.00; 18.50; 19.00; 19.50; 20.00; 20.50; 21.00; 21.50; 22.00; 22.50; 23.00; 23.50; 24.00; 24.50; 25.00; 25.50; 26.00; 26.50; 27.00; 27.50; 28.00; 28.50; 29.00; 29.50; 30.00; 30.50; 31.00; 31.50; 32.00; 32.50; 33.00; 33.50; 34.00; 34.50; 35.00; 35.50; 36.00; 36.50; 37.00; 37.50; 38.00; 38.50; 39.00; 39.50; 40.00; 40.50; 41.00; 41.50; 42.00; 42.50; 43.00; 43.50; 44.00; 44.50; 45.00; 45.50; 46.00; 46.50; 47.00; 47.50; 48.00; 48.50; 49.00; 49.50; 50.00; 50.50; 51.00; 51.50; 52.00; 52.50; 53.00; 53.50; 54.00; 54.50; 55.00; 55.50; 56.00; 56.50; 57.00; 57.50; 58.00; 58.50; 59.00; 59.50; 60.00; 60.50; 61.00; 61.50; 62.00; 62.50; 63.00; 63.50; 64.00; 64.50; 65.00; 65.50; 66.00; 66.50; 67.00; 67.50; 68.00; 68.50; 69.00; 69.50; 70.00; 70.50; 71.00; 71.50; 72.00; 72.50; 73.00; 73.50; 74.00; 74.50; 75.00; 75.50; 76.00; 76.50; 77.00; 77.50; 78.00; 78.50; 79.00; 79.50; 80.00; 80.50; 81.00; 81.50; 82.00; 82.50; 83.00; 83.50; 84.00; 84.50; 85.00; 85.50; 86.00; 86.50; 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ONE DEAD, 24 ARE
HURT IN SUNDAY'S
AUTO ACCIDENTSDriver of Car Goes to Death
When Machine Turns Over
Near San Jose.

Automobile accidents in the bay region Saturday night and Sunday were responsible for one death and injury to twenty-four persons. Police today are conducting an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the accidents, which is alleged to have resulted from speeding, in an effort to place the blame on someone's shoulders.

THE DEAD
HARRY MAKAI, a Japanese, employed in a San Francisco garage, instantly killed last night when he lost control of his machine on the state highway about ten miles south of San Jose. The speeding car struck the soft earth and was sent hurtling through the air. Makai's wife and two children, riding with him, were cut and bruised.

THE INJURED
Mrs. E. M. Grunianelli, 41 years old, Oakland, seriously and perhaps fatally injured when the automobile in which she was riding skidded and overturned on the Livermore road near Pleasanton. Her skull was fractured and physicians say she may have sustained internal injuries. Mrs. Grunianelli's husband, their daughter, Ruth, 9 years old, and Peter and George Kallis of Oakland were all slightly hurt.

GIRL IS INJURED
Cecile Pasarow, 8 years old, of 219 Twenty-fifth avenue, received a broken right shoulder when the automobile in which she was riding with her parents and her 4-year-old brother was struck by a street car at Twenty-sixth avenue and Clement street, San Francisco. The girl was treated at the Park Emergency hospital, San Francisco. Her parents and brother escaped unhurt.

Five men were injured, three seriously, when two automobiles came together early this morning on the State highway near Colma. They were:

John Uglione, 259 Twenty-fifth avenue, San Francisco, driver of one car; internal injuries.

Joseph Doehle, San Jose, possible fracture of the skull.

Joseph Bonduccio, possible fractured skull.

S. Razeppo, cut and bruised.

E. L. Malburg, of Palo Alto, driver of the other car; badly cut and bruised.

Mrs. Malburg, who was in the car with her husband, escaped without injury. Both machines were total wrecks.

COLLISION UNDER PROBE
San Francisco police are today investigating a collision at Fulton street and Great Highway, San Francisco, in which three automobiles were involved and in which ten persons were hurt. The injured were taken to the San Francisco Emergency hospital, where it was announced today that none were in a serious condition. They are:

Carlyle L. Sawyer, 1775 East High-land avenue, San Francisco, lacerations and contusions of the forehead and neck.

Ernest Woods, 253 Diamond street, San Francisco, contusions of the left thigh, left hand and right ankle.

Philip Williams, 3297 Bush street, San Francisco, fracture of the left hand.

Miss Irene Harris, Cartwright hotel, San Francisco, laceration of the right knee.

Miss June Stauffer, 124 Fair Oaks street, San Francisco, lacerations of tongue, right shoulder, right knee, right temple, above right eye and chin.

Miss Emily Stauffer, sister, lacerations of left temple and scalp and abrasion of right knee.

The machine least damaged in the collision was driven away shortly after the accident, the police say, and left two of its injured occupants, Miss June Stauffer and Miss Emily Stauffer. They refused to disclose the identity of the driver of the machine in which they were riding.

Williams was driving the machine occupied by Main and his wife and Mrs. Wray. He told police that he

Fashion Decrees Freak Fads

Mlle. SPINELLI, famous in Europe for shapely legs, startles Paris society by appearing at Long Champs wearing striking decorations below each knee. American women, too, have fallen victims to the latest fancy.



PARIS, April 11.—The age-old Hindu maxim that "Nothing is perfect," has suddenly become the slogan of Paris society. At fashionable Longchamps yesterday barbarous fashions were flaunted, and low, masters like "beauty spots" marred the perfection of white young arms, legs and shoulders which, following spring fashions, are mostly bare.

Mlle. Spinelli, whose legs are world famous, wore a circular green spot an inch beneath each knee, while slender Jane Renard, who is of

the Spanish type, wore "beauty bixies" on the left elbow and right shoulder.

Among Americans who adopted the fad was Mrs. Christian Hennick, who was Alice Barney. She appeared clad in semi-Oriental garb of black crepe de chine with a stripe of Indian beads and a bright yellow sash. Duane Nellie Mithra was among these present, frankly enjoying the sport of exchanging reminiscences with Mrs. A. K. Macomber, whom she knew during her visit to California.

Burglar Routed
by Girl's Screams

Leonia Heath, 15-year-old daughter of M. E. Heath, 2485 Adeline street, was awakened early this morning by a burglar who was prowling in her bedroom. The girl screamed for help and the intruder ran out the front door. The girl's screams aroused her father, who notified the police. The neighborhood was searched by the police, but no trace of the man could be found. Nothing was taken from the house.

Noyes Pleads Guilty
to Stealing Tribune

J. R. Noyes, appearing in the police court pleaded guilty to stealing an OAKLAND TRIBUNE from the Symons Wrecking Company, Jones street and San Pablo avenue, yesterday. He will be sentenced on Wednesday. Noyes resides at Twenty-second street and San Pablo avenue.

was driving north on the Great Highway when he was struck by an automobile which was apparently racing with another machine.

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LAWYERS IN LANZ
CASE IN WRANGLE
OVER LAW POINTSDiffer As to Instructions to Be
Given the Jury; Trial
Nears End.

Following several days of wrangling between the attorneys over instructions to be given to the jury by the court, argument began in the will contest over the \$100,000 estate of Dr. Paul Lanz before Superior Judge E. C. Robinson this afternoon. It was expected the case would go to the jury late today.

Attorneys Johnson and Shaw, representing Mrs. Ruth Lanz, who is contesting the will, by which her husband left his entire estate to Mrs. Leola Theriault, nurse, offered last week to submit the case without argument, but Attorney W. H. Clay, representing Mrs. Templeton, refused the offer.

While the decision as to the instructions to be given to the jury, of course, rests entirely with the court, Judge Robinson has permitted the attorneys to argue the matter in chambers in his presence, after receiving from each counsel a list of instructions they wished read to the jury.

CONTESTED QUESTION
One of the most vigorously contested questions was an instruction asked for by Johnson and Shaw to the effect that if the jury should feel convinced from the testimony that Dr. Lanz and Mrs. Templeton occupied the same house at the time of the test, it would be justified in concluding that their relations were intimate, and that, if so, it has not indicated what his decision on this and other points will be.

The case has occupied the court on four afternoons a week for more than a month. During the progress of the trial Judge Robinson ruled out of court the contest of Dr. Lanz and his incompetent mother, Mrs. Leola Theriault, who is now in the hospital, against the will of the testator, which was adopted by the court after the death of the child born after Dr. Lanz's death. The court held that only a husband, wife or child could assail the legitimacy of offspring and that therefore the mother had no standing in court. This decision gave half of the estate to the child, under the provision of the law which declares that any child, whether posthumous or not, which is not mentioned in the will inherits the same as though there were no will, and reasoning being that the testator has forgotten to make provision for the child.

Testimony has shown that Dr. Lanz and his wife, who had secured an interlocutory decree of divorce, had lived together at various intervals.

**William S. Garwood of
Sugar Refinery Dead**

Arrangements are being made today for the funeral of William S. Garwood, for almost a quarter of a century foreman of the California-Hawaii Sugar Refinery at Hockett, who died in Oakland yesterday.

Garwood was a native of Pennsylvania and was 54 years of age. He was master of Carquinez Lodge No. 237, of the Masons and was one of the pastmasters of the association of Masonic Masters. He became foreman of the California-Hawaii Sugar Refinery in 1898 and retained the position up to the time of his death.

He is survived by his wife, Myrtle Garwood, his son, Paul S. Garwood, his brother, Harry D. Garwood, of Glendale, and his sister, Jennie Garwood, of Glendale, Calif.

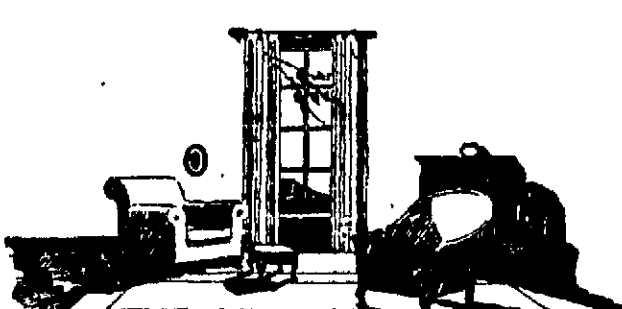
**Oakland Hens Beat
Petaluma Egg Layers**

The recently published Petaluma egg-laying records seem to have started something of an argument among poultry raisers in Oakland. Today the following letter was received from R. G. Baugh, 5384 Alameda avenue:

"I noticed an article in today's TRIBUNE where Mr. Jewell of Oakland had ten pullets that have made a better record than the Petaluma pens. I have a pen of ten. Among the pullets that have laid 92 eggs in the last twenty weeks; another pen of ten, 92, and have made better records than any pens in the laying contest at Petaluma or Santa Cruz. The king pen and the Jewell are not the champions by any means."

Progressive Business
Luncheon Wednesday

The Progressive Business Club will hold a luncheon at 12:15 Wednesday at the Hotel Oakland. It is announced by Stuart Morrow, secretary of the organization.

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fer Here; Back School
Measures.

California's educational activities today are on a firmer basis as the result of a conference at the Hotel Oakland yesterday between the State Superintendent of Instruction, representatives of the Board of Regents of the University of California, the State Board of Education and the presidents of State Normal schools, at which an understanding was reached in a controversy in connection with an educational policy for the State, dividing control of higher equipment and instruction through bodies.

Those attending the conference joined in recommending the support of the junior college measure, amended so as to authorize affiliation with the University of California of such junior colleges that prepare students for advanced university training. The conference also recommended the passage of the State Teachers' College bills and the support of legislation authorizing these colleges to enter into contractual relations with local junior college boards for the coming biennium, whereby junior colleges may be afforded housing facilities, equipment and instruction through the teachers' colleges.

PRESNO COLLEGE OUT
It also was decided, but not incorporated in the agreement, that the University of California is not to endeavor to bring the proposed Junior College at Fresno under its jurisdiction within the next two years.

Another matter which met the approval of those attending the conference was the suggestion that the conference will meet as frequently as necessary to consider educational policies affecting the institutions.

The agreement, prepared by Doctor David T. Barrows, president of the University of California, and which was adopted by the conference, is:

"The conference of the superintendents of public instruction and representatives of the University of California regents, the state board of education and the presidents of the state normal schools, will meet as frequently as necessary to consider educational policies affecting the institutions."

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS.
The conference recommends the support of the junior college measure now before the legislature, amended so as to authorize affiliation with the University of California of such junior colleges, including city junior colleges and junior colleges with teachers' colleges, as shall undertake the preparation for advanced university standing. Such affiliation contemplates the visiting by University of California representatives, accrediting, recommendation of teachers and such other matters as may be mutually advantageous and agreed upon.

"The conference recommends the passage of the state teachers' college bills."

"The conference recommends the support of legislation authorizing state teachers' colleges for the coming biennium to enter into contractual relations with local junior colleges."

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'Toonerville Trolley' of
Oakland Starts Career

Oakland's "Toonerville Trolley" system, consisting of an antiquated street car, a short section of weaving, uncertain track blocked by weeds, stones and tin cans, and an exasperated and over-worked motorman, was put into operation yesterday.

The "system" extends from a point near Leona Heights, along Seminary avenue toward the Ramson quarry. The solitary street car has been converted into a one-man, pay-as-you-enter affair by the judicious use of boards and wire screens.

Following its informal inauguration of service yesterday, the car and its guiding motor went through a series of misadventures comparable to those depicted in the "Toonerville Trolley" sketches.

STARTS OFF BRAVELY
Nobody pressed a button or shattered a bottle of East Bay in commemoration of the event. A few apprehensive well-wishers gathered around the ancient vehicle, the motorman climbed into the front end, slammed the bell, and, after waiting in a faltering voice, "We're off," gave her the juice.

The car started off bravely enough, gracefully rising and swerving as it followed the contours of the track which at the time almost was obliterated under patches of nice green spring grass. After a short stretch, however, the vehicle came to a groaning halt and the motorman got out and carefully removed a large pile of bricks and stones which were blocking the march of progress.

THRILLS NOT LACKING
From that time on until the end of the line was reached the car stopped frequently in order that the motorman (who was acquiring a vocabulary, sore fingers, stiff back and a grouch) could dig up several yards of gravel or volunteer out of move aside tin cans, cobblestones or other obstructions which had been deposited on the rails since they were laid many months ago.

The day was not lacking in thrills, however. There was the slow, halting ascent of a hill and then the whooping, unrestrained dash down the incline almost to the apex of the next hill.

The festivity of the occasion was contributed to by an enthusiastic following of cheering youngsters and barking dogs.

Oakland's "Toonerville Trolley" has all the earmarks of becoming an institution.

Diego Normal and president of the State Normal School Principals' Association, C. M. Osenburch, principal of the Chico Normal, C. L. Phelps, principal of the Santa Barbara normal, Fred Burk, principal of the San Francisco Normal.

**One Dead, 2 Wounded
in Police Battle**

OMAHA, April 11.—One man is dead and two are in the South Omaha hospital seriously wounded as a result of a shooting melee between six men in an automobile and Detective John Herzkina of the South Side police force.

The parade tonight will consist of a clown band composed of legion members and led by Joe Messinger, who will ride the carnival's truck. Several cars of city officials and wounded men will follow. There will also be several hundred legion men in the parade.

The carnival opens tonight under the direction of Oakland Post No. 5 of the American Legion. Other posts in the county will have charge on various nights.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Oakland Post No. 5 and the post will each conduct a country store at the carnival grounds.

LEGION FIESTA
TO OPEN WITH
STREET PARADEFunds From Carnival to Go
to Maintain Clubrooms
of Veterans.

Led by Battery D, Field Artillery, California National Guard, in uniform, and followed by the band of the Oakland fire department and the Chevrolet band, the parade that will open the first annual fiesta and carnival of Oakland Post No. 5 of the American Legion will start tonight at the legion's headquarters at Twelfth and Harrison streets. The line of march will be over Harrison street to Tenth, over Tenth to Washington, down Washington to Ninth, back to Broadway, out Broadway to Telegraph and out Telegraph to the carnival grounds at Nineteenth street and Telegraph avenue.

The fiesta, in the form of a carnival, owned by Foley & Burk, staged under the supervision of Oakland Post No. 5, the funds from which are to be used to maintain the legion's clubrooms, will last all week, coming to a close next Saturday night.

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